

WEATHER SYNOPSIS

A pronounced low pressure is now centred over the interior of this province, and is causing southerly and westerly gales on this coast. Zero temperatures continue in the Prairies.

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BOUNDARIES IN EUROPE QUESTIONED

German Delegate Reminds League Security Committee of Provision in League Constitution

CLAUDE LOOKS TO POSSIBLE CHANGES

Existing Boundaries It Is Said, May Require Amendment—Treaties May Need Revision

GENEVA, Dec. 2.—Count von Bernstorff, former German Ambassador to the United States and now German representative at the preparatory disarmament conference, today made an address before the security committee which was interpreted widely as delicately opening a diplomatic drive for possible later revision of the Treaty of Versailles.

Real international security, which will reduce the possibility of conflicts between nations, implies the fixation of frontiers which all countries can accept, was the opinion voiced in German nonofficial circles tonight following Count von Bernstorff's declaration that Article 19 should be given importance by the security committee in the proposed study of the League of Nations covenant.

This is the article which says that the League Assembly may advise reconsideration of treaties which become inapplicable, and the German delegate's insistence on the inclusion of this article was generally felt to point toward the Treaty of Versailles.

Perceiving the commotion caused by the statements of Count von Bernstorff, the Germans made efforts tonight to minimize its importance, saying that it would be a mistake to deduce that Germany had hereby intentionally launched a campaign to revamp the treaty.

It was stated that Germany was interested in the possible revision of all treaties which are found inapplicable, and the discontinuance of international conditions, which, unchanged, might endanger peace. It was further remarked that if Germany really had any intention of making such a move, it would be Foreign Minister Stresemann himself who would do it.

The security committee of the preparatory disarmament conference, which has been in session here for the past few days, adjourned today at the call of the chair and probably will hold its next meeting on February 20.

MANITOBA SHIPS FISH EASTWARD

WINNIPEG, Dec. 2.—Lake Manitoba fish are now moving eastward in large quantities, yesterday a second section of the Canadian National Toronto train was necessary to carry the shipments.

There were eight cars comprising 1400 boxes, valued at \$2,000 a car, or a total of \$16,000. Saturday another special, with at least 1900 boxes, will pull out of here. The fish are handled in refrigerated cars the temperature of which is kept at an even forty degrees by charcoal briquets, which perch, whistles, tulle, and saucers are the varieties being shipped.

From the Colonist Tower

Saturday, Dec. 3

37th Day, 1927

THE WEATHER

Victoria and Vicinity: Fresh to high westerly winds, partly cloudy and colder at night.

Sun Rises: 7:47 a.m. Set: 4:30 a.m.

High Tide: 10:51 a.m., 8.8 feet. Low Tide: 3:15 a.m., 4.0 feet.

Sport

Olympic Committee refuses permission for ex-pros on New Westminster amateur lacrosse to play at Amaterdam.

Amateur heads refuse cards to forty class "A" professionals at party at Edmonton.

Girl swimmers leave to attempt to swim from Gibraltar.

Edmonton Grads give Minnesota Bankers worst defeat in history of title challenges.

President of United States Golf Association dies.

Luther pilots two ponies home at Tijuana to pay nice prices. Today's card.

The News

Local and Provincial

Ward Six, Saanich, votes for secession.

Dr. W. L. Clay, Moderator of Presbyterian Church in Canada, tells of his tour of Dominion.

Heavy rains in Seattle area.

Mr. Lloyd George breaks silence on great campaign fund.

Chinese Nationalists meet today in Shanghai to attempt reunion.

German delegate at Geneva raises question of amending boundaries.

Sir Robert Borden replies to statement in published diary of Sir H. Wilson.

Celebrated Dramatist Now Retired



SIR ARTHUR PINERO

Author of "The Second Mrs. Tanqueray," now seldom seen in public except as spectator at cricket matches on village greens.

HEAVY RAINS IN SEATTLE REGION

More Than Inch of Rain in One Day—Land Slides Force Great Northern Trains to Detour

TELEPHONE POLES ARE CARRIED AWAY

SEATTLE, Dec. 2.—Threat of another flood in Washington State was apparently checked tonight with falling temperatures and clearing skies. Rains were general along the coastal region of the state today. In Seattle a December record for all time was set when an even half inch of precipitation was recorded in forty-five minutes.

Basements on First and Western Avenues were flooded. Every available piece of fire apparatus was engaged for several hours in pumping out the water.

Improved conditions were noted in the Bellingham area after several days of almost uninterrupted rainfall. Long distance telephone service between Bellingham and Seattle failed when poles were carried away by rising waters. Chucks Drive was covered in places by earth slides. Two slides during the night near Sooke Station at the foot of Chuckanut Mountain, forced Great Northern trains to detour by way of Sedro-Woolley. A slide near White Rock, B.C., delayed trains from Vancouver, B.C. Three bridges in Snohomish County were washed out and several highways were inundated. No further damage in that area was expected, however.

STALIN HOLDS TROTSKY FAST

FIFTEENTH CONGRESS OF COMMUNIST PARTY MEETS IN MOSCOW KREMLIN

Ruler of Soviet Government Appears as Complete Master of Situation in Russia

MOSCOW, Dec. 2.—The fifteenth Congress of the Communist party met today at the historical Andreiev Hall of the Kremlin to take account of the party's ten-year away over Russia and to deliberate on future policies.

Despite the most desperate efforts of Leon Trotsky to wrest leadership from the dominant powers, despite his brilliant oratory and rare versatility, the figure of Joseph Stalin, party secretary, loomed tonight more powerful than ever. He was complete master of the situation. The opposition, led by the picturesque Trotsky, could not match Stalin in his deliberate steering of the party craft through battering seas.

The oppositionist leadership appears to be in the disadvantageous position of being forced either to sue for peace and be admitted to fellowship on the condition that complete submission to the Stalin group, or face their adversaries in a purely oral battle with no force behind them to sustain their challenge.

BRITISH BANKS JOIN IN MERGER

LONDON, Dec. 2.—The Lancashire & Yorkshire Bank, Limited, which in its fifty years of prosperity existence has absorbed many smaller financial concerns, is now likely to be incorporated into the Bank of Liverpool & Martin's. The combined deposits in the Lancashire & Yorkshire Bank represent well over \$80,000,000. The name hereafter will be Martin's Bank, Limited.

Broker Arrested

VANCOUVER, Dec. 2.—Charles P. Porter, forty-seven, said by the police to be the head of C. P. Porter & Co., an alleged "bucketshop" stock brokerage firm here, whose offices were raided by officers Wednesday, was arrested tonight. He was charged with "gaming in stocks." Bail was set at \$7,500.

Alexander Marks, alleged salesman for the Porter firm, was arrested on a similar charge Wednesday and is held at police headquarters without bail.

FRANCE SAID TO BE LEADER IN DISARMING

Claim Is Made That France Is Spending Only About Half as Much on Army Maintenance as Germany

EXPENDITURE LESS THAN BEFORE WAR

United States Said to Be Spending About Twice as Much as in 1914—Comparison Financial Only

PARIS, Dec. 2.—France is spending just about half as much as Germany on the maintenance of an army, and has accomplished more than any other power toward disarmament, it was declared in the Chamber of Deputies today by several speakers in the course of discussion of the budget.

The speakers laid special stress on their declaration, as it is hoped that an echo therefrom will reach the halls of the League headquarters at Geneva, where the security committee of the preparatory disarmament conference met today.

Minister of War Painleve admitted his department was asking for 1,000,000,000 francs (approximately \$400,000,000) more than last year, explaining that the increase was largely due to the increased pay of various functionaries and officers, and the reorganization of the army in order to reduce the period of obligatory service.

CALLING UP RESERVISTS

The Communists, Socialists and Radicals tried in vain to defeat an appropriation for calling up the reservists for their period of training next year, but the Government was victorious in the vote. This problem is likely to be an important issue in the forthcoming legislative elections.

France, Germany and Russia alone of the great powers, have reduced their gold output for the maintenance of armies and navies since 1914. M. Bouilloux-Lafont, reporting for the finance committee, told the Chamber. The United States, he said, has increased its military and naval expenses by ninety-eight per cent in gold cost since 1914. England, forty-five, Japan 145, Italy fifty-five and Spain 128.

Prince Rupert Wants to Be Port For Peace River

PRINCE RUPERT, B.C., Dec. 2.—The Prince Rupert Board of Trade tonight took steps to advance the city's claims as an outlet by railway for the Peace River district when a committee was formed to secure data in support of the city's position. The board will also study the question of a new Northern Province with view of supporting the suggestion of Peace River residents. The committee consists of J. H. Pillsbury, W. Tobey, G. W. Nickerson and G. C. Walker.

Woman Is President Of Austrian Senate

VIENNA, Dec. 2.—The first woman president of a senate in the world was installed today. Frau Olga Rudel Zeynek took her seat as president of the Upper House of the Austrian Government.

"Have Faith in Victoria," Says Mayor Pendray

Do the Citizens of Victoria realize that in the last three years—

The general levy has been reduced from \$1,722,751 to \$1,499,274?

The collections of general taxes have increased from eighty-four per cent to ninety per cent?

The bonded debt has been reduced by nearly one million dollars?

The assessment has been reduced from \$57,181,067 to \$53,277,874?

Our services have been maintained by the expenditure of over \$400,000 out of revenue?

Not a dollar of new debt has been created?

The upset price of lands reverting to the city in 1920 was \$998,468 and in 1926 only \$34,645?

Our building permits for eleven months of this year are over \$1,500,000, or considerably more than double the figures for the whole of 1926?

These are facts, and a record of which any civic administration can well be proud.

Industrially, private enterprise has turned the old Indian Reserve into an actual hive of industry, and in addition many of our old-established industries have materially expanded. The city's industrial programme, although it has not yet had time to reach the goal we all desire, has laid the foundation of an industrial consciousness which, with the united support of all citizens, should bring far-reaching results in the years to come.

In my belief, nothing can stop the progress of Victoria, if our citizens will have faith in their city, and work.

To raise the cry of calamity under any pretext breaks the confidence not only of our own citizens but also of those who, in increasing numbers, are turning their eyes to the West. The star of the great Pacific is rising, leading the trade of the world into our lanes. There is no room for lack of faith in our destiny.

J. C. PENDRAY, Mayor.

Dyked Lands of Surrey Become Series of Lakes

CLOVERDALE, B.C., Dec. 2.—The dyked lands of Surrey are a series of lakes. Here and there, farm buildings are to be seen surrounded by water, while in other places the straw piles left by threshing operations stand out like green islands. Although higher water has been seen, the fields have seldom remained for so long a period under water or partly submerged. And potatoes still unearthed will be useless and roots will not be improved, but the loss in potatoes is not more than ten per cent in Surrey, farmers say.

WARD SIX VOTES FOR SECESSION

Saanich Rural Ward Joins Forces With Others in Fight for Disincorporation

Over 200 ratepayers of Ward Six, Saanich, voted in favor of secession at last night's meeting held in the Institute Hall, called for the purpose of hearing the report from their representatives on the legislative committee, which had been appointed to go thoroughly into the matter.

After Mr. H. E. Tanner and other representatives had given a report and considerable discussion had been held on the subject, a resolution was passed unanimously that Ward Six, with other rural wards, seek disincorporation and become an unorganized district. At the close of the meeting over 100 signed their names to the subscription list started to raise money to pay for legal guidance.

Mr. Tanner told the meeting that was the decision of the legislative committee that secession proceedings be instituted. He said that the municipal inspector, Mr. Baird, had expressed the opinion that the Provincial Government might not allow the reverting of a portion of Saanich to the Government. This was only one man's opinion, however, and the rural wards should make an attempt to secure disincorporation, and failing this try to secure a zoning system of taxation whereby the wards would be taxed in proportion to their requirements.

POINTS OUT DANGER

Councillor Hagan pointed out the danger of the ward system being abolished. He said it was only the fact that the rural wards were fully represented on the council that the ward system had not been abolished. There was one ward that at any time might change its representative with the result that the rural representative would have no say in the ward system would be abolished, and then the rural wards would have an uphill fight to get road appropriations.

Councillor Hagan declared Reeve Crouch had approved improvement taxation up to the time the final Continued on Page 2

GOVERNOR AL. SMITH ON PROHIBITION LAW

ALBANY, N.Y., Dec. 2.—For the first time since he has been prominently mentioned as a Democratic presidential possibility, Governor Alfred E. Smith, of New York State, tonight, broke his silence on the prohibition question by declaring that while he stands for enforcement of all laws, he sees no reason why any group of voters should not oppose the federal prohibition statutes.

Lord Cecil Says Soviet Proposal Quite Useless

MANCHESTER, Dec. 2.—Lord Cecil, member of the Privy Council, said in a speech tonight he wished he could believe Russia's disarmament plans were practical, but he felt sure they were not, as conditions are at the present in Europe.

WILLING TO SELL EAR FOR \$4,000

CHICAGO, Dec. 2.—A New York and Chicago society woman advertised today for a left ear and tonight she had one applicant willing to give an ear but the applicant asked \$4,000 for it instead of the \$2,500 offered. The newspaper advertisement offered \$2,500 through the woman's attorney. "For one left ear, to be grafted on client," Jay J. McCarthy said he was attorney for the woman who wants an ear and whom he described as a society woman of New York, but formerly of Chicago, who lost the member a few years ago in an automobile accident. The woman's attorney said, had been forced to wear long hair to cover the deformity and now desires to both it. "Besides," said the attorney, "I understand fashion decrees that ears be shown this season."

McCarthy said his client intended to give an ear for \$4,000 if the operation was a success.

No Wine, No Song

LOS ANGELES, Dec. 2.—Fifty members of the Florentine Choir of Florence, Italy, now in Los Angeles, tonight telegraphed their impresario, Frank W. Healy, of San Francisco, with which in effect was "no wine, no song."

Members of the choir said that unless they were supplied with wine of good quality they probably would abandon the remaining schedule of their transcontinental tour and return to Italy.

BOAT SINKS WHILE CREW UNCONSCIOUS

Sleeping Men on Schooner Are Overcome From Breathing Gas Escaping From Auxiliary Engine

CAPTAIN DISCOVERS SHIP IS LEAKING

Barely Time to Carry Limp Forms of Men to Small Boat—Picked Up After Eight Hours' Rowing

NORTH SYDNEY, N.S., Dec. 2.—The Cape Breton schooner, arrived at their home shore today after a thrilling escape from death, although two of them were in ignorance of their peril until after the vessel had escaped from the auxiliary engine. Captain Ingram, of the North Sydney schooner Kathleen W., discovered that the vessel had sprung a leak and was on the point of foundering. He dashed to the cabin to arouse his sleeping crew of two, his brother, Manfred, and Riley Morris, only to find them both unconscious from breathing gas which had escaped from the auxiliary engine. Captain Ingram had scarcely thrown the limp forms into a dory and pushed off when the schooner sank. The fresh air revived his companions and after rowing for eight hours they were picked up by a fishing vessel.

ONTARIO HAS GOOD SURPLUS

THREE MILLION DOLLARS OF PROVINCIAL DEBT PAID OFF FROM REVENUE

Government Makes Best Financial Statement Since Office Assumed

TORONTO, Dec. 2.—The annual financial statement of Hon. J. D. A. Bradburn, Premier of Ontario, made available for publication here tonight, shows that the province in the fiscal year closing October 31, has not only met its liabilities and taken care of all its discounts, but has also paid \$3,000,000 off the provincial debt and achieved a further cash surplus of \$287,000.

This is the best financial statement under the leadership of Premier G. H. Ferguson, has made its credit to the province and the new liquor control policy introduced by the Ferguson Government proved to be no negligible factor. During the first five months of operation it has returned to the provincial treasury a net revenue of \$3,300,000.

The total revenues of the province for the year ending October 31 last amounted to \$56,295,537, an increase of \$5,455,485 over last year. Total expenditures amounted to \$53,000,047, an increase of \$4,255,364 over the same period last year.

Among the cheering signs were the growth in the number of congregations, now between 1,250 and 1,300 in the Dominion; the sound financial position of the church; the reorganization of Presbyterian Continued on Page 2

SIR ROBT. BORDEN ON SIR H. WILSON

Former Premier Issues Statement on Reference to Him in Diary

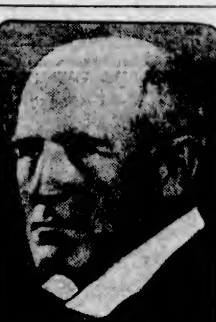
OTTAWA, Dec. 2.—Sir Robert Borden published a statement today in regard to the "diary" of Sir Henry Wilson, wherein he (Sir Robert) is credited with having advocated in the Imperial War Cabinet the handing over to the United States of all British annexations resulting from the war, such as Palestine, Southwest Africa, Persia and Pacific Islands.

Sir Robert declined to discuss the matter at any length as the entry relates to a discussion of a secret character in the Imperial War Cabinet. He stated, however, that in this as in other instances of which he has personal knowledge, "Sir Henry Wilson's diary is in some cases absolutely inaccurate, and in others quite misleading."

Worsted Mill's Market in West Appears Assured

A STUDY of the potential market for worsted goods, when the projected mill is constructed at Dallas Road on the Armadale property, has been carefully made. It is considered that the 12½ per cent duty against British goods will aid the mill in manufacturing on the ground for the Western Canadian trade, and that the freight rate of \$3.54 per 100 lbs. will prevent the yarn from Ontario and other central Canadian mills entering into severe competition in the domestic trade. The firm with which Mr. John Moore is connected has already an important business connection with textile users in Vancouver and district, and it is believed that the Prairie Provinces can be developed into a big market. The market overseas is of a different character, presenting many problems of special difficulty, owing to cheap labor, as Mr. Moore pointed out in a recent speech to the Victoria Chamber of Commerce.

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DR. W. L. CLAY TELLS OF TRIP

Moderator of Presbyterian Church in Canada Returns From His First Tour of the Dominion

TO REPORT FROM PULPIT SUNDAY

Tremendously heartened by the enthusiasm, loyalty and temper of the congregations within his jurisdiction, Rev. Dr. W. L. Clay, Moderator of the Presbyterian Church in Canada, has returned to the city after his first tour of the Dominion in the official capacity to which he was elected by the General Assembly last Summer. In his address to the pulpit of St. Andrew's, tomorrow, he will tell something about his experiences and impressions, as well as something about the problems and encouragements that confront the church today; to Presbyterianism throughout the country, now that his several weeks' travels among the congregations of the various provinces are over, he sends a message of confidence and reassurance.

"After a tour covering the whole country from end to end, I can say that I was never more confident of the Presbyterian Church than at the present moment," he stated to The Colonist shortly after arriving here yesterday afternoon. "The Presbyterian position is simply marvelous. When I left Victoria I held high hopes. But what I found exceeded my fondest expectations. For although I knew the church had a good footing all over the country, I was not prepared for the strength of it. What struck me more than anything else as I traveled about was the wonderful loyalty of our adherents in the face of great pressure. It has been a fine test of the spirit of our people."

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CHINESE HOLD UNION MEETING

NATIONALISTS MEET TODAY IN SHANGHAI IN ATTEMPT TO EFFECT HARMONY

Cardinal Point With Cantonese Is Supremacy of Civil Over Military Authority

SHANGHAI, Dec. 2.—Supremacy of civil authority over military rule is the cardinal point on which Cantonese Nationalists will enter tomorrow's conference of the central executive committee of the Kuomintang, the Nationalist political organization, it was announced tonight.

Other policies of the Cantonese at the conference which it is hoped will result in healing the split within the Nationalist ranks, are doing away with an attempt to create anti-foreignism and continuing the drive against the unequal treaties, adding that he had mentioned in his recent speech the conditions under which Britain would be prepared to consider resumption of relations, but that he had not been any assurance that the Russian Government would cease its interference in British internal affairs.

In a statement given to Reuters's correspondent in Geneva today and telegraphed to London, Litvinoff declared that Alexis Rykoff, president of the Council of People's Commissars, had already stated that the condition of mutual noninterference in internal affairs is accepted by the Soviet Government. Thus the assurances referred to by Mr. Baldwin have been given by the head of the Soviet Government in the same way in which the requests were made, namely by way of public speeches, the only way open to both countries for negotiations, said Litvinoff.

ASSURANCE GIVEN SAYS LITVINOFF

Russian Envoy at Geneva Disputes Accuracy of Statement Made by Premier Baldwin

LONDON, Dec. 2.—Premier Baldwin's statement in the House of Commons Tuesday that the Russian Government had not yet given assurances of noninterference in British internal affairs as a condition precedent to consideration of resumption in their relations, was countered today by M. Litvinoff, assistant Soviet commissar, who declared that such assurances already had been given.

On Tuesday Mr. Baldwin said that no steps have been taken either by Great Britain or Russia looking toward resumption of diplomatic relations, adding that he had mentioned in his recent speech the conditions under which Britain would be prepared to consider resumption of relations, but that he had not been any assurance that the Russian Government would cease its interference in British internal affairs.

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Poultry Sale at Nananee Totals Sum of \$100,000

KINGSTON, Ont., Dec. 2.—A record was established at the conclusion of the poultry fair at Nananee, when a total of \$100,000 was recorded in two days' sales. The previous record for the two days was \$80,000. The birds were sold at twenty-five to thirty-two cents a pound, and chickens up to twenty-seven cents a pound.

Pioneer Surveyor Dies

PRINCE RUPERT, Dec. 2.—Friends here have been advised of the death in Toronto of A. E. Wright, pioneer land surveyor in this district.

President Coolidge GOING TO HAVANA

WASHINGTON, Dec. 2.—President Coolidge expects to sail on a navy vessel for Havana next month to attend the pan-American conference.

Belt Strangles Man

WINNIPEG, Dec. 2.—Albert D. McCulloch, eighteen, was strangled to death when he was caught in a moving elevator belt at Shamrock Elevator Company's plant here today.

Silk Hose Makes a Suitable Christmas Gift

Lizard Ties and Straps for Ladies

Smart Lizard Ties and Straps in a nice shade of brown. Specially priced at only \$9.00

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Intent to Defraud

KITCHENER, Dec. 2.—The provincial police here have seized the papers and documents of the Guggenheim Distillery Limited of Canada, which was organized here some time ago and bought the factory formerly occupied by the Dominion Sugar Company. The manager of the concern, M. H. Rogan, is at present in jail at Stratford on a charge of obtaining money with intent to defraud. He is due for trial Tuesday.

Berg in Custody

SEATTLE, Dec. 2.—Meyer Berg, convicted in the first Olmsted liquor conspiracy trial, left today in the custody of a U.S. marshal to join Olmsted in the Federal penitentiary at McNeil Island.

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New Mixed Peel, Orange, Lemon, Citrus, per lb. 25c

New Shelled Almonds, 1/2 lb. for 30c
Shelled Walnuts, pec. 1/2 lb. for 10c
Monogram Molasses, 1/2 lb. for 10c

Beehive Syrup, 5c, per tin 38c
Beekist Honey, 5c, per tin 45c
Orange Marmalade, 4 lb. tins 15c

Pure Currant Jelly, 12-oz. glass for 25c
Pure Cherry Jam, 4 lb. tins for 84c
Royal Household Flour, 10 lb. sacks 24-45

Lux, per pkg. 10c
Corn Starch, per pkg. 15c

Choice Okanagan Tomatoes, large tin 14c
Choice Sliced Peaches, 2 1/2 lb. tin 20c
Home Brand Corned Beef, 10 lb. tins 25c
Red Arrow Graham Wafers, 1 1/2 lb. per carton 15c

Morning Glory Coffee, fresh ground, per lb. 45c
Ceylon 5 o'clock Tea, per lb. 40c
Wild Rose Pastry Flour, 10 lb. sacks 24-45
Royal Household Flour, 10 lb. sacks 24-45

CHOICE PEAS 25c
CHOICE CORN 25c
FRY'S COCOA 25c

PROVISIONS — MEATS — FRUITS

Breakfast Bacon, mild cured, sliced, per lb. 38c
Ayshire Ham, sliced, per lb. 40c
Boiled Ham, sliced, per lb. 60c
Baked Ham, sliced, per lb. 20c
Ham Bologna, sliced, per lb. 20c

New Alberta Butter, 3 lbs. for \$1.23, per lb. 42c
Choice Creamery Butter, 3 lbs. for \$1.29, per lb. 44c
Best New Zealand Butter, 3 lbs. for \$1.35, per lb. 46c

Smoked Picnic Ham, per lb. 21c
Smoked Cottage Rolls, per lb. 30c
Shamrock Pure Lard, per lb. 10c
Canadian Mild Cheese, per lb. 28c
Pure Fruit Mince-meat, per lb. 15c

New Dates, 3 lbs. for 25c
Carrots, 15 lbs. for 25c

New Navel Oranges, per dozen 40c
New Jap Oranges, per box 90c
Large California Grapefruit, 3 for 21c
Choice Glace Cherries, per lb. 45c
New Crystallized Ginger, per lb. 20c
Candy, English Cream Caramels, per lb. 20c
Sweet Coating Chocolate, per lb. 20c
New Spanish Onions, 5 lbs. for 25c
Choice Swede Turnips, 13 lbs. for 25c

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BRITISH ENVOY ON "SECURITY"

American Countries Have Very Little Fear of Attack Not So With Those of Older World

BRITAIN SCRAPPED NAVAL SUPREMACY

GENEVA, Dec. 2.—The significance of the word "security" differs immensely in different nations. Lord Cusden, British delegate to the preparatory disarmament commission, today told British newspapermen in a discussion of the question of security.

"South American republics have very little fear of attack and I don't suppose the United States has any at all," he said, "as they know nobody will attack them. It is quite different in Europe, and therefore it is useless to lay down general propositions."

"British ministers must be extremely cautious about binding themselves or future parliaments as to what might be necessary in an unforeseen great crisis. We have never failed to honor our signature to obligations, and we must not go too far in advance in defining future action. It is important in such matters to preserve elasticity and flexibility, and much would depend upon the good will of other League signatories. It is very doubtful whether additional security would be obtained merely by signing more agreements."

DISARMAMENT

Reverting to disarmament, Lord Cusden expressed the belief possibly Great Britain had existed too quickly after the war, leaving herself nothing to bargain with.

"At the end of the war," he asserted, "our navy was unchallengeable, but we scrapped it. The same thing has been done in regard to naval dockyards and the Air Force. We had to revive our Air Force while the army was reduced to the level of an Imperial police force."

"I repeat, it was possibly a tactical mistake, depriving us of tremendous bargaining power. We have done voluntarily what we are asking others to do. If we are stripped, we can take off no more. I am asserting that Great Britain led the world in agreements for arbitration. Lord Cusden concluded that there was hardly any lessening of security would not submit to arbitration rather than resort to war, but that some case might be so vital it would be necessary to fight for the nation and the public would not tolerate arbitration."

DR. W. L. CLAY TELLS OF TRIP

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groups in places where congregations had passed over bodily into the United Church. But again, these were cited some of the problems of Presbyterianism, outstanding among them being the shortage of ministers. This difficulty, however, is being gradually met, partly by the slow process of turning out students from the Presbyterian colleges in Canada; partly by importation of men from the Old Country; and partly by the slow process of turning out students from the United States. There are at present about 120 students in the two Presbyterian colleges in different stages of preparation. Some of these young men will be ready for ordination in the coming Spring. Down in the Maritime Provinces, where Presbyterianism was seriously affected by the disruption of two years ago, only twenty-nine Presbyterian ministers remained in 1925; but the fault had been remedied so well that at the Synod held in Saint John recently there were seventy-one ministers present. In this instance the recruiting has been principally from the United States.

In speaking of this matter of recruiting men for the church, Dr. Clay said that while the varying viewpoints and culture of ministers drawn from such widely scattered sources was welcomed, the real source to which Presbyterians should look for their pastors was the home-bred school of the country. British Columbia's position in respect of ministers was also cited. Since disruption in 1925 up to September this year seven young men had dedicated their lives to the ministry.

CHURCH PROPERTY

The question of church property adjustment is still not settled. Manitoba and Saskatchewan are still suffering from the fact, as no commission has been appointed to either place. In Saskatchewan a year ago the matter was brought up. The Union people asked the government for a year to settle the business, but as up to the present nothing had been effected, the Presbyterian church making arrangements to put the issue before the next session of the Provincial Legislature. Manitoba is going through a somewhat similar experience.

Throughout Ontario the Presbyterian church is very strong, as it always has been. In fact, Ontario is the financial stronghold of Presbyterianism. But the treasurer of the General Assembly was authority

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for the statement that the church was coming well through its difficulties. One of the chief burdens had arisen from the decision of the Federal commission that the Presbyterian church must pay the United church the \$250,000 which the latter had expended for the upkeep of the missionary work since June, 1925, up to the time of the commission's findings in March this year. Also the Presbyterian church has an extraordinary building programme on its hands as the result of losing so many of its church properties. This involves a heavy outlay. Yet despite all this, if the congregations throughout the Dominion met their respective allotments, assigned to them in the early part of the present year, this entire debt should be cleared up by the end of 1927, and 1928 should open with a clean sheet.

MISSIONARY PROGRAMME

DR. Clay spoke of the missionary programme of the Presbyterian Church in Canada. This was a wide-spread one, with many of the churches today as well as the colleges to maintain, and the pension fund. In the latter connection Dr. Clay called attention to the improved conditions of today as compared with those of 1925. Hitherto a Presbyterian minister retiring at seventy, after forty years' service, was entitled to a "retirement allowance." The church was now aiming to give its retired clergy \$1,000 a year, and the widow of a minister \$500.

When he left here on September 12 for his Dominion-wide tour, Dr. Clay had a careful itinerary made, and he would be bringing him back to Victoria about a fortnight ago. But he had several additional invitations for church dedications and other events, and actually consented to delay his return to the Coast in order to dedicate the new Presbyterian Church at Winnipeg. This is a magnificent stone structure, of Gothic design, thoroughly ecclesiastical in style. Dr. Clay preached in the morning, and Colonel Wells, wardens of St. John's in the evening. Capacity congregations being present on both occasions. On the following evening there was a social gathering, with refreshments by representatives of the various Presbyterian organizations; by Dr. Clay, speaking on behalf of the General Assembly; by Canon Hoesner, representing the Archbishop of Rupertland; by Archdeacon McEwen, representing the local Anglican community; by Mr. Noble, representing the Baptists; and by Dr. John McKay, principal of Manitoba College.

"The opening of that church marked an epoch in the history of the Presbyterian Church in Canada, and presages the revival of Presbyterianism in Winnipeg," said Dr. Clay, referring to the ceremony, which took place on the 11th of the month. The church, which he made in addressing the Winnipeg congregation: "The erection of such a church in Winnipeg, early after the disruption is a bit of poetic justice, because it was there that the movement, culminating in the tragedy of disruption, originated. And it was in Winnipeg also that the Assembly of 1916 suffered an eclipse of reason and, in the face of growing opposition, sought to commit the church to an organic union," Dr. Clay quoted.

HIS MANY VISITS

Among the Ontario congregations visited were those of Toronto, Lancaster, Cornwall, Cardinal, London and other places. In each of these places, dedicating the church at Brantford and officiating at the dedication of Calvin Church, Toronto. He also visited the Maritime Provinces for some time. In Moose Jaw he visited his old congregation. A majority of the church had voted for union. The Presbyterians had lost everything in Regina, but here, too, he had been called upon to dedicate a new church.

He had found great need for a Presbyterian church in Canada for other reasons than to give a home to the Presbyterians already here. For among the immigrants arriving in this country were many who wanted such a church, and whose joy on discovering such, despite information which they had received as to the non-existence of such a body, was great.

Much as he enjoyed his trip, Dr. Clay declared himself delighted to get back to Victoria after experiencing something of the cold weather and the hardships of the journey. He found people everywhere far better informed about Victoria than a few years ago, although many Ontario Presbyterians seemed to know little of what was going on in the church with Vancouver. In Montreal, Winnipeg and Saskatoon hotels he had found some of the Victoria Publicity Bureau's literature.

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In Sunday's Colonist

THE FALKLAND ISLANDS BATTLE

An interesting account of the naval engagement in the South Atlantic, the tenth anniversary of which takes place on Thursday next.

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back where they started—an unorganized district.

Councillor Hagan said he would like to see the rural wards go back to an unorganized district, but he felt if this could not be accomplished then a municipality could be formed under special charter.

Following this discussion the resolution was put to the effect that the legislative committee be instructed to continue with a view to incorporation of the municipality. The resolution was adopted unanimously.

Mr. Tanner then outlined the form of procedure. The first thing to do was to find out the attitude of the Provincial Government on the matter. If there was any hope of disincorporation without having to form a new municipality, then the legislative committee could go ahead preparing the case for the rural wards. The formation of a new municipality was not wanted, so that if the legislation considered disincorporation on the basis of the formation of a new municipality, then the rural wards would save the situation from a different angle. The Legislature would then have to be asked to enforce taxation of wards for their own requirements.

Messrs. W. O. Wallace, W. D. Mitchell and H. F. Tanner, last year's representatives from Ward Six to the legislative committee, were re-appointed to the committee.

GORDON HEAD

The Gordon Head taxpayers heard the report of the secession committee on Thursday evening, and were advised to approach the Government for the establishment of a permanent municipality for Wards Three, Five, Six and part of Ward Four.

Reeve Crouch, who was present, advised to call a meeting between the central committee favoring secession and a committee from the inner wards to be formed for the purpose of discussing taxation questions.

Figures were presented to show that Wards Two and Seven were levied to the municipality, a larger sum than their tax contributions, plus the Government allocations divided on a per capita basis.

HI-Y MEMBERS TO MEET HERE

Annual Conference Will Be Held at Y.M.C.A. on December 29 and 30

About sixty lads, ranging from fifteen to eighteen years of age, members of the Hi-Y Club, will be in the city on December 29 and 30 to attend the annual conference which is being held at the Y.M.C.A.

Representatives from Vancouver, New Westminster and Up-Island points, in addition to local members, will be in attendance. An invitation has been extended Tracey Strong, Boys' Work Secretary of the World's Alliance, of Geneva, who is at present holidaying in Seattle. Fred Crosby, Boys' Work Secretary of the Northern Council of Y.M.C.A.'s, has also been invited to attend the conference.

It is hoped to hold joint functions with the members of the Older Boys' Parliament, which will be in session here at that time.

Vancouver Youths To Walk to Atlantic

VANCOUVER, Dec. 2.—Paul Christensen and William work, two Vancouver boys, started from Victoria Square here this afternoon on the first lap of a transcontinental walking tour which will take them to Saint John, N.B. by next September. Both are prominent athletes.

MISS WOOD is the wife of Emmanuel Hahn, Toronto sculptor, whose design won the award two years ago for the design of the new Parliament building. His wife is a Canadian by birth, and when her design was accepted it was not known that she was the wife of Mr. Hahn.

MAY YET AGREE ON DISARMAMENT

NEW YORK, Dec. 2.—Lord Rothermere, publisher of The London Daily Mail, who arrived here today on the liner Aquitania, said he believed that America and Great Britain eventually will reach an agreement on disarmament, the only means by which civilization can avert war.

OPIUM BONFIRE

TACOMA, Wash., Dec. 2.—Fifteen hundred five-lb. tins of smoking opium, which if it had gone into the illegal retail trade of the underworld would have brought half a million dollars or more, was destroyed in Tacoma by federal narcotic agents and customs officers. The costly fuel went into smoke in the furnace of the Federal Building.

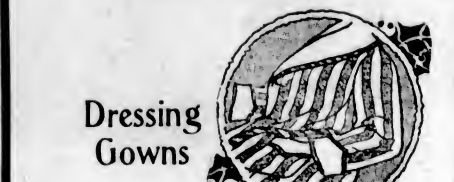
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MONTREAL TO TAKE VOTE ON SUBWAYS

MONTREAL, Dec. 2.—In order to relieve traffic congestion in the city of Montreal, taxpayers will shortly be called upon to vote on a referendum expressing their willingness or otherwise to permit the city council to borrow between \$20,000,000 and \$25,000,000 for the construction of subways and various other public works.

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championship play of the American Auction Bridge League here today by scoring 215 1/2 match play points out of a possible 342.

Mrs. A. O. Lynch and Mrs. Ely Culbertson, New York, were second with 188 1/2 points, half a point ahead of Mrs. M. K. Alexander and Mrs. Rose Fleischer, of Chicago, who were third.

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CANCER GROWS WITH RAPIDITY

Increase of From Thirty to Forty Per Cent in Past Two Decades, Says Dr. Sberald F. Wiltzie

NORTH PACIFIC SURGEONS MEET

Cancer has increased from thirty to forty per cent in the past twenty years, the many published reports of cancer cures have only led to the confusion of the public and to the possible unjust criticism of the medical profession, and the great increase in cancer is confined principally to two groups of organs, namely, the alimentary group and the reproductive group. These were the conclusions that Dr. Sberald F. Wiltzie, of Seattle, reached after a study of the situation as revealed in his city and which was made the subject of a most valuable paper read by him at the sixteenth annual meeting of the North Pacific Surgical Association at the Empress Hotel yesterday.

The conclusions that were reached by Dr. Wiltzie, followed a very careful study of statistics of the city of Seattle, supplemented by the records from Government statistics.

After going very fully into the subject of cancer as it affected the different organs of the body, the speaker showed that his conclusions, based as they were on the records shown in the city of Seattle, of which he had the fullest access, were, to all intents and purposes, practically accurate.

FULL LIST UNRECORDED

It was pointed out by him that there were a number of deaths recorded under the cause of peptic ulcer which he was convinced that if there had been an autopsy performed, a great many of these cases would have been transferred to the cancer column.

In the tables thrown by the speaker on the screen for the better elucidation of the subject, Dr. Wiltzie pointed out that there was a real and not an apparent increase in the cancer deaths. This increase, he said, would undoubtedly continue until the cause of the disease was discovered and the proper treatment adopted. He also alluded to the fact that cancer was a disease of advanced life. With the reduction in the mortality from infectious diseases in early life and in adult life, with the consequent lengthening of life expectancy, there could be expected to be an increase in the number of people who would die from cancer until the proper treatment had been discovered.

HIGH COOKING EFFECTS

The tables prepared from the actual cases on record showed that there was an increase in gastric and hepatic carcinoma, with stomach cancer greatly predominating. This he ascribed to the consequent increase of the present age in eating, and in the boiling of food highly flavored and hot. This was borne out by the fact that the figures showed that there was a decreasing number of marriages, with the conclusion to be reached from this that there were more eating at restaurants, where the food was not as well prepared from the standpoint of health, as in the home. In support of this theory he pointed out that it was established that cancer was seldom found in primitive races.

In the charts shown was one as to the age when the disease was the most prevalent. It was seldom found before the age of thirty and increased notably until seventy. There was then a sharp decline in the number of deaths from the disease. In the table of cancer deaths it was shown that from 1907 to 1918 the deaths per 10,000 were respectively 5.6 and 6.5. But between 1918 and 1926 the increase was much more marked, showing respectively 8.5 and 13.1.

He felt that this would be attributable in part to the great improvement in the present-day methods of diagnosing the disease. Summarizing the situation, Dr. Wiltzie quoted from other statistics that had been prepared from the records of other cities, and these, he pointed out, bore out the same general conclusions that had been reached by himself in the case of Seattle.

CONTINUES TODAY

The meeting which will be continued today, is presided over by Dr. Hermann Robertson, of this city, the president of the organization. In addition to the general business connected with the association, there were yesterday very informative papers presented before the gathering. Dr. Joseph A. Pettit dealt with "The Traumatic Theory of the Cause of Cancer." On the subject of "Gastric and Duodenal Surgery," Dr. Horace J. Whitacre referred to "Diagnosis." Dr. James B. Eagleson dealt with "Cancer." Dr. O. F. Lamson with "Ulcer." Dr. A. O. Lee with "Perforation," and Dr. Robert C. Coffey with "Operations." Procedure. Indications and Results.

Among the visiting doctors here are: Dr. Hubbard T. Buckner, Seattle; Dr. Robert C. Coffey, Portland; Dr. Homer D. Dudley, Seattle; Dr. Charles B. Ford, Seattle; Dr. O. F. Lamson, Portland; Dr. Luther H. Hamilton, Seattle; Dr. Adolf O. Lee, Seattle; Dr. Mason J. Tate, Seattle; Dr. Herbert S. Nichols, Portland; Dr. Joseph Pettit, Portland; Dr. Caspar W. Sharples, Seattle; Dr. Ernest A. Sommer, Portland; Dr. Milton G. Sturgis, Seattle; Dr. Donald V. Trueblood, Seattle; Dr. Horace Whitacre, Tacoma; Dr. Sberald F. Wiltzie, Seattle; and Dr. Henry F. Luhn, Spokane.

BANQUET IN EVENING

Last evening a banquet was held in the ballroom of the Empress Hotel, when the presidential address was given by Dr. Hermann Robertson, of this city. The Premier of the province, Hon. J. D. MacLean, was present, and also addressed the members of the association.

Shorter remarks were given also by several of the members, including Dr. R. E. McKee, of Vancouver, and Dr. James B. Eagleson, of Seattle.

PROGRESS MADE BY CANVASSERS

Y.M.C.A. Teams Report \$202 Collected Since Thursday Evening—\$9,630.50 Raised to Date

With \$9,630.50 collected, the Y.M.C.A. campaign for \$20,000 continues. At the noon luncheon yesterday the canvassing teams reported subscriptions totaling \$202 since Thursday evening. Captain J. P. Westman's team took the merit prizes yesterday with the best collections since Thursday evening, when he reported having collected \$65 for four subscriptions.

Short addresses by Mark Graham, and Edwin Tomlin, chairman and assistant chairman, respectively, of the campaign, were given to the teams attending the luncheon. These men are sure that the \$20,000 needed to lift the large debt over the city and the determination of the teams attending the luncheon. The next luncheon meeting will be held at 7 o'clock on Monday, when it is hoped to close the campaign with a supper meeting on Tuesday. The Ladies' Auxiliary of the Victoria West United Church were hosts for yesterday's luncheon.

CASE OF ARTHURS SET OVER AGAIN

Government Employee Re-arrested Until Tuesday Morning—Lee Pleads Not Guilty

A further remand in the case of F. L. Arthurs, an employee of the Provincial Government, who has pleaded guilty to stealing \$33.75 of departmental money which he had in his charge, was granted by Magistrate George Jay in the city police court yesterday.

The court inquired whether any recommendation had been received from the Attorney-General concerning the accused.

City Prosecutor Claude L. Harrison said that he had had no word at all from the Attorney-General regarding this case.

Mr. P. R. Leighton, counsel for the defense, stated that the Attorney-General had recently returned from the East, and he understood that Hon. Mr. Manson wished to communicate with his Honor in connection with the Arthurs case. An adjournment of the case was ordered until Tuesday morning.

Tuesday, December 6, was the date fixed for the hearing of the case against W. H. Vinall, who is accused of obtaining \$600 from Arthur Francis Saunders by false pretences.

Lee Fun, a Chinaman, was arraigned in court to face a charge of unlawfully selling loganberry wine. The accused pleaded not guilty through his counsel, Mr. Stuart Henderson. Dan Gaborie, a lumberherd, of Duncan, testified for the prosecution, and the case was then adjourned, and will be resumed this morning.

JAP ORANGES ON THE MARKET

Protestant Docks at Outer Wharf With 14,000 Boxes for the Christmas Season

When the Blue Funnel liner Protestant docked at the Outer Wharf on Thursday evening from the Orient, she had among her cargo the first shipment of Japanese oranges to be disposed of at this port for the Christmas season. The consignment consisted of 1,000 bundles, or 14,000 boxes of oranges, one of the largest shipments to arrive at the outer docks for several seasons.

The wholesale firms distributed the fruit to the retail stores yesterday morning, and they had them marked at ninety cents a box to the trade. This quotation is expected to remain firm for the entire month of December.

The C.P.R. liner Empress of Asia will dock on Sunday afternoon at the outer docks with the second shipment, which will be as large if not larger than the first cargo.

Federal Police Are Investigating City of Chicago

CHICAGO, Dec. 2.—The Herald Examiner today said that "amazing evidence" of collusion between Chicago police officials and politicians and the operatives of liquor and gambling resorts has been obtained by the United States Government in a secret investigation during the last month. Every police captain, said the newspaper, has been under surveillance. The newspaper said it had indicated that a number of indictments already have been prepared but were being withheld until the Government's case is completed. If indictments are to be returned, the newspaper's information has it, they probably will charge conspiracy to violate the Volstead Act.

Salvation Army Appeal Will Be Made Shortly

At a meeting of the Salvation Army Relief Board, held in the office of the Johnson Street Hostel, plans and arrangements were made and decided upon for the approaching Christmas cheer and winter relief effort. The local forces of the Salvation Army are laying themselves out for the appeal to the citizens of Victoria for the necessary funds to enable them to impart cheer, warmth and comfort to the needy.

On Thursday, December 15, the familiar jingle of the bells will be heard and it is expected that Victoria will "keep the pot boiling."

Advisory Board Continues Sitings

The advisory board of the Farmers' Institutes of the province continued its deliberations yesterday, taking up the subjects that have been passed on to it by the various district organizations. In a number of instances the departmental officers from the different branches of the provincial work were in consultation with the advisory board on matters affecting their particular departments.

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CASE OF ARTHURS SET OVER AGAIN

Government Employee Re-arrested Until Tuesday Morning—Lee Pleads Not Guilty

A further remand in the case of F. L. Arthurs, an employee of the Provincial Government, who has pleaded guilty to stealing \$33.75 of departmental money which he had in his charge, was granted by Magistrate George Jay in the city police court yesterday.

The court inquired whether any recommendation had been received from the Attorney-General concerning the accused.

City Prosecutor Claude L. Harrison said that he had had no word at all from the Attorney-General regarding this case.

Mr. P. R. Leighton, counsel for the defense, stated that the Attorney-General had recently returned from the East, and he understood that Hon. Mr. Manson wished to communicate with his Honor in connection with the Arthurs case. An adjournment of the case was ordered until Tuesday morning.

Tuesday, December 6, was the date fixed for the hearing of the case against W. H. Vinall, who is accused of obtaining \$600 from Arthur Francis Saunders by false pretences.

JAP ORANGES ON THE MARKET

Protestant Docks at Outer Wharf With 14,000 Boxes for the Christmas Season

When the Blue Funnel liner Protestant docked at the Outer Wharf on Thursday evening from the Orient, she had among her cargo the first shipment of Japanese oranges to be disposed of at this port for the Christmas season. The consignment consisted of 1,000 bundles, or 14,000 boxes of oranges, one of the largest shipments to arrive at the outer docks for several seasons.

The wholesale firms distributed the fruit to the retail stores yesterday morning, and they had them marked at ninety cents a box to the trade. This quotation is expected to remain firm for the entire month of December.

Federal Police Are Investigating City of Chicago

CHICAGO, Dec. 2.—The Herald Examiner today said that "amazing evidence" of collusion between Chicago police officials and politicians and the operatives of liquor and gambling resorts has been obtained by the United States Government in a secret investigation during the last month. Every police captain, said the newspaper, has been under surveillance. The newspaper said it had indicated that a number of indictments already have been prepared but were being withheld until the Government's case is completed. If indictments are to be returned, the newspaper's information has it, they probably will charge conspiracy to violate the Volstead Act.

Salvation Army Appeal Will Be Made Shortly

At a meeting of the Salvation Army Relief Board, held in the office of the Johnson Street Hostel, plans and arrangements were made and decided upon for the approaching Christmas cheer and winter relief effort. The local forces of the Salvation Army are laying themselves out for the appeal to the citizens of Victoria for the necessary funds to enable them to impart cheer, warmth and comfort to the needy.

On Thursday, December 15, the familiar jingle of the bells will be heard and it is expected that Victoria will "keep the pot boiling."

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350 Pairs of Trefousse Novelty French Kid Gloves

Regular Up to \$3.75 Per Pair. On Sale This Morning, 9 o'clock



Here, indeed, is an outstanding glove bargain that should attract the attention of Christmas shoppers. These gloves are perfect in every way and are of the celebrated Trefousse make. They comprise odd lines and broken sizes, but all sizes are in the lot—6, 6 1/4, 6 1/2, 6 3/4 and 7. In shades of black, fawn, grey, brown, tan and mode. These are not old style gloves, but styles that are being worn at the present time. In order to have your choice it will be necessary to shop early. Regular up to \$3.75 per pair. On sale this morning at..... **\$1.98**

A December Offering of Women's Fur-Trimmed Coats Marked for Today Down to \$17.75 and \$25.00

These two groups have been assembled in our Mantle Department for today's selling—smartly styled fur-trimmed coats that you will pronounce splendid bargains at their prices. Tailored from plain and checked all-wool velours in desired colorings and finished with large and comfortable fur collars. Special for today's selling at..... **\$17.75** and..... **\$25.00**

Fur Coat Sale Continues, and What a Wonderful Opportunity This Presents for You to Make a Really Sumptuous Gift. A Deposit Will Reserve Your Choice for Later Delivery

Silk Afternoon Frocks Reduced for December Selling to \$19.75

You have possibly been thinking the last day or two of buying a dainty afternoon frock, and today presents an unusual opportunity to buy one at a very special price, for they are really wonderful value. They come in black and colors. Styles are quite distinctive and very becoming and cannot be duplicated at today's price of..... **\$19.75**

New Teddy Bear Wool Suits for Kiddies of 1 to 3 Years

Choice selection of Kiddies' Teddy Bear Wool Suits, comprising coat, cap and pullover, in a nice variety of colors and styles. Very specially priced at..... **\$3.95 to \$5.25**

Children's Hats Go at Half Price

Our entire stock of Children's Felt, Velour and Velvet Hats to be finally cleared today at..... **HALF PRICE**

Give Holeproof Hosiery This Christmas

Hundreds of Pairs to Select From at \$1.00, \$1.95, \$2.00 and \$3.50

Holeproof Hosiery would make a very acceptable Christmas gift. All the new designs and shades (by "Lucile," of Paris, exclusively for Holeproof) are represented. The quality and style of Holeproof Silk Hosiery need never be questioned—they are the best that money can buy and the various lines we offer at the prices mentioned not only afford a great variety but the very best of values. EACH PAIR PACKED IN A FANCY NOVELTY CHRISTMAS BOX.

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Cream Knitted Wool Dressing Gowns at the Bargain Price of \$4.50

English Knitted Cream Wool Dressing Gowns in all-white, trimmed pink or blue, also blue and helio trimmed white. A very practical Christmas gift. Special at..... **\$4.50**

D & A Non-Lacing Girdles Special Today at \$1.69

Made with clasp front and fine quality pink novelty cloth, panels of elastic at side. A splendid fitting garment for the average figure: sizes 24 to 30. Special at..... **\$1.69**

Beautiful Rayon Silk Nightgowns for Christmas Presents Special, \$2.95

Magnificent range of Dainty Synthetic Silk Nightgowns in many dainty lace-trimmed styles and in all the wanted pastel colorings. Exceptional value today for..... **\$2.95**

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These are pajamas of excellent quality white flannellette trimmed with colored bandings; all sizes.

Novelty Brassieres and Bandettes for Gift Giving, Priced at \$1.00 to \$4.50

We have a beautiful selection of these, made of soft Milanese silk and flat crepe, trimmed with the finest imported lace. They come in pastel shades..... **\$1.00 to \$4.50**

Two Big Specials in Rayon Silk Underwear for Christmas Shoppers

One Hundred Pairs of Women's Rayon Silk Bloomers, today, at..... **89c**

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MACHINE GOVERNMENT

It is flattering no doubt to the Liberals of British Columbia to realize that their party has been successful in building up a Political Machine for electioneering purposes that has rarely been equalled in its strength and ramifications in this Dominion. This Machine is an illustration of shrewd, if equivocal, methods; shrewd to those who believe that anything is fair in the political game, and regarded as equivocal by others who still entertain the hope that there may remain such a thing as political morality. The Liberals have been kindras itself in remembering their friends, and we doubt not that the evidence of gratitude is always accompanied by the demand for a further quid pro quo. Thus the amounts expended on the organization of the party for political purposes is one aspect of the spendthrift zeal which is supposed to secure its reward at election periods. The open sesame to a governmental post is the performance of some meritorious service in the interest of the party in power; the fitness for office is a matter of secondary consideration. In spirit the Civil Service Act may be said to have been shot full of holes. It is interpreted according to the letter of the motto, nailed at the masthead of the Liberal regime, that "to the victors belong the spoils."

Wherever a political machine operates, democratic government cannot exist. Where voters are bludgeoned into silence with the hope of rewards, the credulity of mankind forbids the exercise of judgment. In British Columbia we have a minority Government in power, kept in office by Independent and Laborites and the Political Machine, and to each of these political branches of public opinion concessions have to be made in the way of legislation and in other ways which prove a heavy drain on the public purse. The Government knows full well and intimately of the Political Machine of its party. It does more than condone it, for its nurturing authority has smoothed the progress of its wheels and made it stronger in every sense.

The administration of the Liquor Board, controlled by the Government in reality and by virtue of legislation, though ostensibly in the hands of an independent commission, has been designed to cement the fortunes of party followers. A somewhat similar conception of how public business should be conducted according to Liberal tenets is illustrated in the case of the Provincial Police. The Government itself can prove these statements by publishing a table of the political faith of those who have been admitted to the service of the State since the Liberals assumed office. Such a table would prove illuminating in regard to the building up of the Political Machine, as well as a searching inquiry into contracts let by the Public Works Department, as well as in practically every avenue opened up to the expenditure of public funds. So it goes on throughout all the ramifications of the Government's service, and further afield. The Machine, indeed, not only controls votes, but publicity. It pays for the tune and the pipe's pipe, and those pipes wherever it is attacked or criticized run blithely to its defence, piping the old, old story that nothing can be proved, as, indeed, very little can, since the Machine enjoys the protection of the Government in power.

We are not sure whether or not the people approve of the Political Machine. It may be recalled, however, that the war cry of the Liberals, when they won the 1916 election, was to break the Machine, the Machine at that time being supposed to belong to the Conservative Party. In 1916 the late Mr. Brewster led the Liberals, and he was conscientious in his determination to do away with machine politics. The Civil Service Act was devised for this purpose, but it has failed, and failed utterly to accomplish its mission. We very much doubt if the Liberal Machine ever intended that it should succeed. The Machine, indeed, has induced, fostered and thrives upon the policy of spendthrift zeal for which the present Government has secured such an unenviable reputation. Without such spendthrift zeal how would it be possible to have an inexhaustible supply of campaign funds? The very fact that the Government, despite the raising of the issue in the Legislature, has done nothing to put an end to campaign funds, is proof positive that the Machine cannot tolerate their abolition and continue to survive. In a province where the Machine is so powerful, it is no exaggeration to say that we are suffering from Machine Government, which is especially to be regretted in a democratic age, because the administration of British Columbia, so far as it is a Liberal Government, does not represent the voice of popular opinion.

LACHINE CANAL INCIDENT

There is an opportunity available to Canada's Minister at Washington to seek satisfaction from the American Government because of the action of an American yacht in ramming a bridge in the Lachine Canal and then fleeing from the consequences of its action. Canadian Government vessels were sent in pursuit of this yacht but it escaped from the Canadian waters. The matter now would seem to rest with Canada's Minister at Washington. The American yacht in question was proceeding down the Lachine Canal at double the speed permitted to commercial vessels. It rammed a bridge, knocked it off its portals, and caused serious financial loss to the grain traffic. The canal was being used by the American yacht under the provisions of the Treaty of Washington which gives British vessels the use of American canals and American vessels the use of Canadian canals on the same terms as those extended to the national vessels of the owners of the canals.

The ramming of the bridge may have been an accident; it probably was. What was not accidental was the flight of the American vessel. It should have stayed and faced the consequences of its action. Instead, it fled although knowing that it was being pursued. The incident comes at a time when there is an agitation on the American side, and by certain Canadian interests, to effect improvements to the St. Lawrence waterway at a cost of hundreds of millions and give equal rights there to both Canadian and American vessels. The lesson of the American yacht's exploit is one that should be

learned; it is that the control of the St. Lawrence for mercantile, power and pleasure purposes should remain in the hands of the country through which that waterway flows.

ARRESTED PROSPERITY

Let any man in British Columbia, of ordinary intelligence and open mind, be asked: Are you satisfied with the progress made by the Province during the past twelve years, or are you satisfied that progress should continue at no greater rate than at present? There can be no doubt what the answer would be. Nothing can check an enterprising and industrious people inhabiting a region of great wealth, but no evidence is required to prove that the progress of British Columbia for more than a decade has not been what it should be. That is a plain fact known to everyone. It does not, of course, imply that there has been no progress whatever, or that no year can be found in which some advance has been made over a preceding year. One swallow does not make a Summer. There is something puerile, not to say insane, in the presentation by Government apologists of isolated instances of advance as refutation of the fact known to all that no such advance has been made in this Province during the last twelve years as was made in the preceding twelve years or as has been made by other provinces, no better situated, in more recent years.

British Columbia is not an agricultural region suffering from a succession of crop failures; it lies under no such disabilities as have been shown to exist in the Maritime Provinces. It has suffered from incompetent government, waste of public money, heavily increased taxation, and the lack of any intelligent, coherent and adequate policy of development on the part of the Provincial administration. It has suffered from that condition of affairs for more than a decade.

Efforts are to be made to strengthen the Leaning Tower of Pisa, the condition of which has caused alarm because of the slowly increasing list of the monument. The measures agreed upon include a geological and geometrical service, soundings, a reinforcement of the base and the diversion of the waters which flow in its vicinity. This leaning tower or campanile was built about 1154 for the purpose of containing bells. It is constructed of white marble and is a beautiful cylinder of eight stories each adorned with a round of columns, rising one above another. It inclines so far on one side from the perpendicular, that, in dropping a plummet from the top, which is 188 feet in height, it falls sixteen feet from the base. It never seems to have been ascertained if this list is accidental, or if the architect built the tower so on purpose. The tower is famous for sight-seeing purposes, and it was from it that Galileo made his observation on gravitation about the year 1635.

The Baldwin Government in Britain has appointed a commission to inquire into political matters in India with the ultimate idea of giving that country home rule. It is noteworthy that the chairman of this commission should be Sir John Simon, one of the most prominent men in the Liberal Party. When will the day arrive when a Government in Canada—either Federal or Provincial—will be sufficiently broad minded to appoint a member, other than of its political faith, to a post of responsibility.

The Weather

Meteorological Office, Victoria, B.C., at 8 p.m., December 2, 1927.

	Snow	Rain	Min.	Max.
Victoria	—	31	49	52
Vancouver	—	—	46	52
Kamloops	—	—	32	38
Estevan	—	—	40	50
Prince Rupert	—	—	42	46
Dawson	—	—	36b	24b
Seattle	—	112	52	54
Portland	—	—	54	58
San Francisco	—	—	52	66
Spokane	—	—	48	58
Penticton	—	—	33	35
Vernon	—	—	14	32
Grand Forks	—	—	—	32
Nelson	—	—	27	35
Kaslo	—	—	36	41
Granbrook	—	—	—	22
Calgary	—	—	20	—
Edmonton	—	—	—	4b
Swift Current	—	—	—	6b
Prince Albert	—	—	—	34b
Qu'Appelle	—	—	—	20b
Winnipeg	—	—	—	20b

FORECASTS

Victoria and Vicinity—Fresh to high westerly winds; partly cloudy, and colder at night.

Vancouver and Vicinity—Fresh to high westerly winds on the Gulf; partly cloudy, and colder at night.

FRIDAY

Maximum 51
 Minimum 49
 Average 50

Minimum on the grass 47
 Bright sunshine, 7 hours, 42 minutes.

General state of the weather, fair.

5 P.M. WEATHER REPORTS

Victoria—Barometer, 30.21; wind, W. 36 miles; fair.

San Francisco—Barometer, 30.12; wind, S.W. 10 miles; fair.

Kamloops—Barometer, 29.88; calm; cloudy.

Prince Rupert—Barometer, 30.14; wind, S.W. 6 miles; cloudy.

Estevan—Barometer, 30.28; wind, N.W. 30 miles; cloudy.

Talooch—Barometer, 30.28; wind, W. 30 miles; fair.

Portland—Barometer, 30.38; wind, W. 4 miles; clear.

Seattle—Barometer, 30.22; wind, S.E. 12 miles; fair.

San Francisco—Barometer, 30.12; wind, N. 14 miles; cloudy.

Words of Wisdom

It's all in that one word: Thorough—Abraham Lincoln.

The little troubles and worries of life, so many of which we meet, may be as stumbling blocks in our way, or we may make them stepping-stones to a noble character and to Heaven. Troubles are often the tools by which God fashions us for better things.—Henry Ward Beecher.

A full purse never lacks friends.—Old Proverb.

ALWAYS ANOTHER FLIGHT LEFT

I have failed in a thousand cases,
 But I still have the heart to try;
 I am scarred in a hundred places,
 No darting of luck am I!
 In many a crucial hour
 I have hoped and been scorned and kicked;
 But never has Fate had power
 To convince me that I was licked.

I have trusted and been mistaken,
 My friendship has been betrayed;
 I have struggled alone, forsaken
 By men who have had my aid;
 I have listened to those who flattered,
 Their motives misunderstood,
 But my faith has remained unshattered;
 I believe in the ultimate good.

I ask for no unearned pleasure,
 No pathway through flowery lanes;
 I offer a full, fair measure
 Of effort for all my gains.
 I'll try, though the pace be grilling,
 Nor whine if I'm tripped or tricked,
 So long as my soul's unwilling
 To let me believe I'm licked.

—E. E. Kiser.

Note and Comment

By R. B. D.

The constructive statesman and resourceful politician who is the Reeve of Saanich has placed us in an embarrassing position. He wants to know who we are and what we look like. Not knowing who we are and what we look like, the estimable Reeve has been compelled to imagine who we are and what we look like, and the imagination of a grouch individual without a drop of the milk of human kindness in his cosmos. It is that of a carping critic whose criticisms are all destructive, while the readers of The Colonist, not the least important of whom is Reeve Crouch of Saanich, have the right to expect from us nothing but constructive criticism. In other words, we are expected to pat all persons holding public positions on the back and to be particularly gentle when we pat the back of the Reeve of Saanich.

Under the circumstances we see we must have our picture taken and with the sanction of the Editor printed in The Colonist in order that Reeve Crouch may form a clear and correct idea of what we look like. We expect the Reeve will be asking the Editor to print his picture in the paper immediately after he has been nominated for a second term as Reeve in order that the ratepayers of Saanich may see what the man who has done so much for them and says is going to do so much more for them looks like.

If our picture were printed in The Colonist in immediate proximity to the picture of the eminent Reeve of Saanich we expect that on the morning of the day those two pictures were printed the circulation of the paper would "go up by leaps and bounds." For all the people would be anxious to observe the difference in appearance between a grouch without a drop of the milk of human kindness in his veins and a Crouch whose veins are bursting with the warm blood of benevolence and the difference between a destructive critic and a constructive politician.

But we have not had a picture taken for a long time and we are not likely to undergo the ordeal of having a picture taken simply to satisfy the curiosity even of so eminent a man as the Reeve of Saanich, and the probabilities are that the Editor would refuse to print our picture in the paper even if we had our picture taken. For the Editor might say of our picture, as Sir John Macdonald said of himself, it is a "run 'un to look at." Therefore we must remain as we have been pictured in the imagination of the Reeve of Saanich. The ratepayers of the municipality who delight in works of art must be content with satisfaction of their artistic tastes by looking at the picture of the Reeve as printed in the newspapers. We believe the farmers of Saanich are talking about having that picture framed, hung up in conspicuous places and garlanded with wreaths of laurel. That is what is done when the people are delighted with victories gained by great conquering heroes.

Reeve Crouch says the reduction in electric light and power rates was gained by various municipal and business organizations holding meetings and passing resolutions. If that is true, the various municipal and business organizations are entitled to great credit, because they have accomplished something that never before was accomplished by holding meetings and passing resolutions.

Our criticism was not directed against various municipal and business organizations. It was directed against the elective municipal representatives of this city in taking credit to themselves for securing the reduction in rates and at the same time creating an impression on the minds of the people that the reduction in rates applied only to Victoria (it was described as a splendid Christmas present for the people of Victoria), when the reduction of rates was general and applied to all the municipalities in the lower part of the Province. An attempt had been made for political purposes to humbug the people of Victoria, just as attempts have been made to humbug the people of Saanich by people who call themselves constructive statesmen, but who are merely resourceful politicians.

As a matter of fact, electric lighting and power rates would have been reduced even if no meetings had been held and no resolutions passed. The rates for light and power in this part of the continent are bound to bear some reasonable relation to the rates charged for light and power in other parts of this continent. The tendency everywhere is to reduce rates. The management of the B.C. Electric Company is composed of shrewd men who are well informed on all matters affecting the relations of the public with utility companies. We do not believe the company's action in reducing rates was influenced by a threat of politicians to ask the Government to appoint a Public

Favorite Hymns and Their Writers

By REV. ARCHER WALLACE

"PEACE, PERFECT PEACE"

The author of this hymn, Rev. Edward Henry Bickersteth was born in London, England, January 25, 1825, into a family from whence had come several clergymen of the Anglican Church. While attending Trinity College, Cambridge, young Bickersteth proved his poetic gifts by obtaining the Chancellor's Medal for English verse for three years in succession. He was ordained to the ministry in 1848, and after serving first as curate, then as rector, in different parishes, he was appointed Vicar of Christ Church, Hampstead, London, where he remained for thirty years and became looked upon as the poet and leader of the evangelical party of the Church of England. In 1885 he was appointed Bishop of Exeter, which high office he held for fifteen years. The closing years of his life were spent in quiet retirement and on May 16, 1906, he passed peacefully away in the presence of those dearest to him. His son, Edward, who predeceased him, had risen to the position of Bishop of Tokyo, Japan.

Bishop Bickersteth was keenly interested in the music of the Church. He was editor of the Church hymn-book, "The Hymnal Companion to the Book of Common Prayer," and he published several volumes of his own poetry. It is by his hymns, however, that he will be remembered and most of those were written for special occasions or to be sung by stated groups. Among his best-

known hymns are "Almighty Father, Hear Our Cry," "Come Ye Yourselves Apart and Rest awhile," "My God, My Father, Dost Thou Call," "O God, the Rock of Ages," "Probably this last one, together with "Peace, Perfect Peace," are most widely known. This last hymn was written one Sunday morning in 1875, while he was staying at the famous Yorkshire Summer resort of Harrogate. He attended church and heard Canon Gibbon, Vicar of Harrogate, preach from the text: "Thou wilt keep him in perfect peace whose mind is stayed on Thee." In the afternoon of that day he visited an aged relative who was dying and found him somewhat troubled in mind. It was in order to comfort this dying person that Henry Bickersteth wrote "Peace, Perfect Peace." It was written on a sheet of paper, while he sat by the invalid's bedside, and strange to say, it was written just as it has remained ever since.

It is not always recognized that the first line of each verse is written in the form of a question, referring to some one or other of life's problems, and the second line gives the reassuring answer. For instance: Q.—Peace, perfect peace, in this dark world of sin?

A.—The blood of Jesus whispers peace within.
 Few realize, however, this aspect of the hymn, and no doubt the first line of each verse will continue to be sung simply as a statement of fact.

NEW BALLOTS ARE DROPPED

LEGAL DIFFICULTIES IN WAY AND VOTES WILL BE TAKEN UNDER OLD SYSTEM

City Clerk's Scheme May Be Taken to Legislature by Council Committee

The new form of ballot which was devised by Returning Officer M. F. Hunter for use at the polls this coming election will not be used owing to certain legal uncertainties that have arisen, it was announced yesterday.

The balloting system will be the same as last year except for certain improvements that have been carried out in the general design of the ballot.

The scheme evolved by Mr. Hunter, the city clerk, has not been dispensed with altogether, however, as the council has endorsed it, but find that owing to certain legal uncertainties there might be a risk in using them, under the Municipal Act.

Alderman William Marchant, who is a member of the legislative committee, said yesterday he would recommend to the committee that legislation be sought authorizing the council to decide that Mr. Hunter devised or the single ballot. That formulated by the city clerk has all the advantages of the single ballot without being cumbersome like the single ballot.

Voting for candidates running for office in the civic election will take place next Thursday in the Public Market Building, Corner of Market Street, between the hours of 9 a.m. and 7 p.m. Voting on the two by-laws, the worsted mill by-law and the by-law to raise the fixed assessment on the grain elevator property, will take place in the old Bank of Commerce Building, on the northwest corner of Douglas and Cornmarket Streets, between the hours of 8 a.m. and 8 p.m.

SIR HUGH DENNISON RESIGNS COMMISSION

CANBERRA, Australia, Dec. 2.—The resignation of Sir Hugh Dennison, Australian Commissioner in the United States, was announced today by Premier Bruce.

ONTARIO TO HAVE RESEARCH FUND

TORONTO, Dec. 2.—Outlining a comprehensive scheme for industrial research and promoting the support of the Ontario Government in any research efforts on the part of the Dominion Government or of the industries in this direction, Premier O. Howard Ferguson addressed a dinner given by the Ontario division of the Canadian Manufacturers' Association last night. The Premier's proposal calls for the raising of a fund of \$200,000 in five years which would yield an income of \$100,000 annually to be distributed in aid of industrial research work. A committee would be formed to which the various industries could contribute.

On behalf of the government, Mr. Ferguson promised a million dollars if the industries would raise a million in addition to the free use of a building.

RED CROSS SOCIETY

TORONTO, Dec. 2.—Mrs. Leonard Tully of Saint John, N.B., was appointed Central Councilor of the Red Cross Society and member of the executive committee representing the New Brunswick division at the meeting of the Central Council, which has concluded here. That the Red Cross is rapidly increasing within the Dominion, especially in Ontario, Alberta and Saskatchewan, was the opinion of Mrs. C. B. Waagen, president of the Alberta division.

DOWN TOWN—AT NIGHT

When down town streets at night are wet,
 There is one sight I'll ne'er forget;
 With every cluster shedding rays,
 Such bright reflections meet my gaze—
 Like glistening gems in cabinet.
 Or, as a jewelled coronet,
 That brings back dreams of other days;
 All are re-mirrored in the maze—
 When down town streets at night are wet.

What though an arch, or statuette,
 Here shadow makes—or silhouette;
 Though, there, some stately pillar
 And dark shades fall athwart the blaze?
 There are a myriad bright lights
 Yet—
 When down town streets at night are wet!

—Kilbee Gordon.



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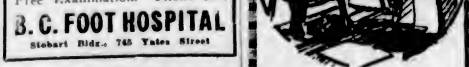
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KENTVILLE, Dec. 2.—For the first time in its forty-four years of existence, the Nova Scotia Fruit-growers' Association yesterday elected as president a woman. This honor was bestowed upon Miss Susan Chase, of Port Williams, an outstanding grower of the Cornwallis Valley district. Her election was by acclamation.

Social-Democrats Oppose Marx Policy

BERLIN, Dec. 2.—The Social Democrats in the Reichstag today adopted a resolution calling for a non-confidence vote against the Marx Government on the basis of the Government's economic and labor policies.



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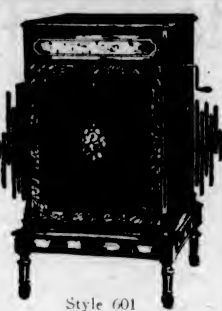
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Lithuanian Arrest

KOVNO, Dec. 2.—Military authorities today issued a warrant for the arrest of a former deputy, named Pletskaitis, who is said to have assisted Lithuanian emigrants at Vienna with Polish support for an uprising against the Lithuanian Government.

Member Discusses Hydro-Electric Development Plan

Major R. J. Burde, M.P.P. for Alberni, was in the city yesterday from Port Alberni, leaving again last night for the Mainland. During his stay in the city he took up with the Government some matters affecting his district. He will return as soon as possible in order to take part in the municipal affairs that are now receiving a good deal of attention at Port Alberni, where he is an alderman.

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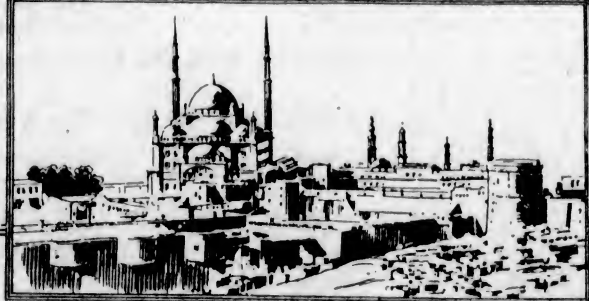
To make the best pine cough remedy, take one ounce of pine, one ounce of sugar, and one ounce of water. Mix in a 15-c. bottle and fill up with home-made sugar syrup. Or you can use clarified honey, instead of sugar syrup. This makes 16 ounces—more than you can buy ready-made for \$2.50. It is pure, good, and pleasant—children like it.

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MANY SEE NEW FORD ON SHOW

First of Models Is Placed on Display at Garage of National Motors, Limited, on Yates Street

EARLY ORDERS MADE FOR CARS

The new Ford car is no longer a thing of mystery. The first of the new models has arrived in the city and has been inspected by a tremendous number of curious citizens who are anxious to know what the new creation was like. While there have been descriptions of the new car appearing ahead of the actual arrival of the first one, yet there remained in the minds of nearly everyone a consuming desire to see the new machine.

All day yesterday the garage of the National Motors, Limited, was crowded with an expectant mass of people. There was one verdict heard on all sides, and that was that as far as appearance went the new Ford was all that had been promised for it.

There is no question that the performance of the car in actual test will be quite up to the appearance of it. The testing of the car has been carried out by the company at headquarters and over a very long period of time. All that now remains in the matter of testing is that to be provided by the average driver under actual everyday conditions.

MANY EARLY ORDERS

The proof of the satisfaction that the car gave is evidenced by the fact that orders were booked yesterday for some forty of these cars, to be delivered as soon as this is possible. The firm is taking the orders as they come and promise to fill them as soon as delivery can be given from the factory.

The subject of price was one of the points that was worrying many when it was announced that the new Ford was on an entirely different model, with specially-designed engine bringing it into the standard type of machine. There were reports that the price would be advanced radically over the old models. These prices, as announced in The Colonist Thursday, show little advance over the old style of Ford cars.

There was present at the local office yesterday Mr. Morley Smith, from the head office of the company, at Ford, Ont.

He was assisted in the demonstration of the new machine by the local staff, headed by Mr. O. H. Bell, sales manager, and including Messrs. W. H. Robertson, A. W. Jones, F. Moore, F. Higgs, N. Collinson, G. Howe and G. Morley.

The new Ford Model A replaces the Model T, which for nineteen years has been the standard of the automobile industry. It comprises a line of six passenger models supplemented by light delivery and truck models.

Pleasing appearance, a wide range of bright color combinations, great power, high speed, flexibility, roadability, unusual get-away, economical operation and rugged construction are cited as outstanding features of the long-awaited car. Design and construction hitherto peculiar to high-priced machines are said to be incorporated in the new product.

OBJECTIVES SOUGHT

The lines of the new Ford are distinctive. The wheelbase is 103½ inches, and the lower suspension and deeply-crowned, gracefully contoured one-piece fenders are pleasing to the eye and suggest speed and stability. Bodies are of all-steel construction and a new type of one-piece, steel spoke wheel employing a drop-centre tire, and eliminating the old-fashioned rim and rim clamps is employed. A selective sliding gear transmission is used with a multiple dry-disc clutch, and the rear axle is of the three-quarter floating type with spiral bevel gears permanently adjusted and noiseless. Full torque tube drive which relieves springs of all driving strain is featured, and four-wheel, mechanically actuated, internal expanding brakes have been incorporated in the new product. Throughout the design of the car ease and quietness of operation, great strength and accessibility of all parts have been kept in mind. According to Ford officials the purpose back of the new car is to provide a safe, comfortable, and economical mode of transportation.

Leper Murderer

WASHINGTON, Dec. 2.—Where to confine a leper murderer is a problem that is worrying Attorney-General Sargent and Surgeon-General Cummins, and the Government may find itself in the peculiar position of having to build a private dwelling for a prisoner.

The situation comes out of the conviction of Edward Payton, an inmate of the Federal leper colony at Carrville, La., to serve a ten-year sentence for the murder of Lloyd Richardson, another leper.

Plans Opera for Masses



SIR Thomas Beecham, the great British operatic conductor, has invited a score of the British Isles to be able to see all the best operas for about four cents per week. This new Imperial Opera League, has been received with great enthusiasm, and the photograph shows Sir Thomas opening up a batch of mail containing cheques from subscribers.



vide a small car which will incorporate all light car advantages with the features of comfort, speed and safety, heretofore peculiar to heavy and expensive machines. This they confidently assert, has been accomplished in the new Model A Ford. The four-cylinder power plant of the new Ford develops forty horsepower at 2,200 revolutions. This is practically double the power of its predecessor, but this great increase in power has been effected without sacrifice of economy and it is claimed that the new car will afford thirty or more miles to the gallon of gasoline. This remarkable increase in power is effected through use of a larger cylinder bore, by static and dynamic balancing of flywheel and crankshaft, and by the use of light reciprocating parts. The new motor is practically vibrationless owing to the careful balancing of these parts.

UNUSUAL FEATURES
The Model A motor incorporates a number of unusual features of design which are the result of years of experiment. Most of these features make for long life, simplified service and more economical maintenance. Lubrication is a combination of pump and splash systems, and cooling combines thermo-siphon and pump circulation of water. The water pump is so designed that it comes into use only when the motor is turning at a fair rate of speed, and overcooling at low speeds or in cold weather is thus avoided. The motor itself is essentially a low-speed motor, developing its maximum power at 2,200 r.p.m. This is consistent with established practice which always has aimed at securing a minimum amount of piston travel per mile of road travel, with a resultant minimum of strain and wear on moving parts.

The motor is set in the frame at an angle of 31-3 degrees, and practically a straight-line drive to the rear is thus secured. The drive plate multiple disc clutch comprises four driving and five driven discs, which operate without lubrication. The clutch is the result of the disengagement it immediately and completely neutralizes the driven plates, with the result that the gearshift lever is not subjected to any undue strain. The clutch pedal is depressed without fear of clashing gears. Clutches of this type have hitherto been peculiar to high-priced cars.

EASE IN STEERING

The transmission departs from conventional light car practice in the use of ball and roller bearings instead of plain bearings. The bearings make for more satisfactory operation, smoother performance and longer life. The steering gear also is of the ball and roller type, being unique in that it is self-aligning and the irreversible worm and sector type with the worm carried in ball bearings. Front end weight of the car also is reduced by roller bearings which are placed at the top of the spindle bolts, and the result of these refinements is unusual ease in steering.

Transverse semi-elliptic springing is used, and for Ford engineers claim the following advantages: That the springs contact with the frame at only one point, and that in the centre line of the chassis, is subject to no twisting or bending. This little spring contact with the frame at only one point, and that it reduces unsprung weight to a minimum and improves riding qualities; That the springs have only their natural function of absorbing road shocks to perform, and that danger of uneven application of front wheel brakes is avoided because the front axle is held rigidly at right angles to the chassis centre line and there is no possibility of uneven tension upon brake rods. The brakes are of special Ford design and operate on the inner surface of substantial steel drums. All brake parts are cadmium plated as a precaution against rust, and each brake is instantaneously adjustable through manipulation of a small adjusting stud on the exterior of each brake drum. Brake pedal or hand lever will apply all four brakes simultaneously. Sixty per cent of the braking effort is applied to the rear wheels and forty per cent to the front wheels.

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POLLING WILL BE HELD TODAY

Four Candidates to Seek Election to Boys' Parliament, Which Opens Here This Month

Four candidates will contest the three seats in the Older Boys' Parliament, which will go into session at the Parliament Buildings here the latter part of this month. Polling will be carried out today at the Y.M.C.A., from 6 to 8 p.m., with Vivian Shoemaker, boys' work secretary of the Y.M.C.A., as returning officer.

The lads seeking election are Albert Young and Edwin Cliffe, City Temple; Douglas Robertson and Jack Wallace, First United. The candidates would up their campaigns last week.

First returns in all probability will be made known at 8:30 p.m.

SIXTY YEARS AT TELEGRAPH KEY

Veteran Telegrapher and Train Dispatcher Retires from Service in Winnipeg

WINNIPEG, Dec. 2.—E. B. Pink, for sixty continuous years a train dispatcher and telegrapher, a record which is claimed cannot be equaled by any other living telegrapher, has retired on pension. Ever since 1867, the year of Canada's Confederation, Mr. Pink has sent trains and messages hurrying across a continent, and on Thursday, when in the office of the Canadian National Railway, at Winnipeg, he closed his key for the last time, his check-up for that day's work was a total of 246 messages sent and received, a record of which the nimblest operator could afford to feel proud.

This afternoon, in his old office at the Union Station, he was presented with a purse of gold as a mark of esteem by the officers and employees of the railway telegraph service.

The presentation was made by Mr. Wilcox, general superintendent of transportation, who, on behalf of the president and officers of the Canadian National Railway, congratulated Mr. Pink upon his excellent record and thanked him for his loyalty and devotion to duty over such a long period.

In returning his thanks, Mr. Pink said that loyalty was easy to give service when one found pleasure in one's work and had for superior officers men of understanding, courage and integrity. He hoped, he said, to be allowed to sit at the key now and then just to keep his hand in and just to show the old-fashioned key could be operated as efficiently as the modern high-speed sending machines, which he had scorned to use in his years of work.

U.S. GOVERNMENT TREASURY HARD UP

WASHINGTON, Dec. 2.—The Government was thoroughly and comparatively "hard up" today with a mere \$13,377,446.98 on tap at the treasury, the smallest sum in ten years.

Treasury officials explained that the low net balance was of no significance and was only a bookkeeping position, because they could always raise large sums on brief notice by issuing short term certificates. They do not see any need for that course now. The decline in the balance, which, during the year, has stood between \$70,000,000 and \$100,000,000, was caused by the large retirement of second liberty loan issues on November 15.

Kauri Gum Field DISCOVERY MADE

WELLINGTON, N.Z., Dec. 2.—A rich Kauri gum field has been discovered in the area of a tract of land recently opened by the government at Ahupara, North Auckland. It is estimated that the land will yield gum valued at \$2,000 per acre.

The government opened the land to find work for the unemployed.

Buried Five Years From Firearms

MILLVILLE, N.B., Dec. 2.—The jury investigating the death of John Palmer, of Millville, who was shot by William Marney, of Pinder N.B., in mistake for a deer, brought in a verdict of accidental death, with the recommendation that Marney be not allowed to carry firearms for five years, and that the New Brunswick Legislature be asked to enact legislation making any person who shoots another in mistake for game liable to sentence of five years in the penitentiary.

Killed in Mexico

NOGALES, Arizona, Dec. 2.—The Herald was advised today that several members of a highway crew at Tres Marias, State of Chihuahua, were killed recently in a bandit attack. Among the dead was the chief engineer, named Castillon.

Planned Fiancee's Death

OTTAWA, Illinois, Dec. 2.—Because he did not wish to abide by an agreement to marry Miss Iola Bradford, school teacher, Hiram Reed, son of a wealthy Mossville farmer, confessed he placed a stick of dynamite in the schoolhouse stove and, today, as a result of the explosion, the teacher is near death. Reed said he used the dynamite in the stove Wednesday midnight, and attached a ten-foot fuse to it, thinking it would kill Miss Bradford while she was in the morning. Authorities said Miss Bradford was to become a mother in a few months and that Reed had delayed their wedding date several times.

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Brown Sugar, 3 lbs. 19¢

Pineapple Marmalade (it's delicious), 4-lb. tins, Reg. 85¢, 65¢
Mission Asparagus Tips, 1-lb. tins 29¢
Small Tender Peas, Petit Pois, reg. 20¢ tins, 2 for 31¢
Quaker Corn, per tin 15¢
Free Cup and Saucer with each pound Banquet Coffee, lb. 63¢
Del Monte Melba Peaches, de luxe quality, large 45¢ tin 32¢

1 Carton Sunlight Soap and 3 Cakes Lifebuoy Soap, 45¢
Beehive Corn Syrup, 10-lb. tin 63¢
Assorted Cream Sandwich Biscuits, reg. 45¢ 1-lb. carton, Special, 28¢ lb. 2 lbs. for 55¢

Christie's Sodas, reg. 50¢ tin for 42¢
Huntley & Palmer's Shortcake, reg. 35¢ packet for 25¢
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200 Boxes of McIntosh Red and King Apples, box \$1.23
First Shipment New Navel Oranges, at per dozen, 60¢, 50¢ and 40¢
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Small Rump Roasts, per lb. 25¢
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CANADA TAKES MANY AWARDS

EXHIBITORS AT CHICAGO GAIN IMPRESSIVE COLLECTION OF CUPS

Grain Farmers and Livestock Breeders Have Long List of Victories—East and West Share

CHICAGO, Dec. 2.—Another outstanding victory was registered by a Canadian entry at the International Livestock Exposition late today when "Lady Price," a Clydesdale mare from the experimental farm, Indian Head, Sask., was adjudged the greatest champion Clydesdale of the show. The reserve went to an Iowa entry, while "Dorcas Lodge Princess," owned by the Dorcas Lodge Stock Farm, of Arrola, Sask., was picked as junior champion. "Lady Price" was the senior champion in her class.

Tomorrow, Canadian farmers and cattle breeders will return home with an impressive collection of silver cups and blue ribbons won in competition with their United States neighbors at the show. Herman Trelle, homesteader of Wembley, Alta., the 1926 wheat and oats champion, again was an outstanding winner. This year he was crowned state king of America, and won a reserve championship in both hard red spring wheat and field peas section, and five out of a possible five prizes for small field peas went to Canadian exhibitors.

In horses, cattle and sheep divisions, the Dominion exhibitors won many coveted honors, with both Eastern and Western Canada sharing in the awards. The awards include several grand championships, reserve and junior championship prizes.

City & District

Cowichan Station Brick Plant—It was stated yesterday that the formal incorporation of the company to operate the brickyard near Cowichan Station will be completed next week. Siding accommodation for the works will be made by the Esquimalt & Nanaimo Railway, it is understood, not far from the station.

Fisheries Question—A number of boards have taken up the suggested fisheries amendments brought forward by the Duncan Chamber of Commerce, as reported to the last meeting of that body. The Saanich Board will have the subject before it at its monthly meeting on Monday at the Brentwood Hall.

Spur Authorized—When the Railway Board met in Victoria recently, an application was before it for trackage accommodation for the new sawmill built by Mr. H. F. Collins at Sproat Lake, from the Great Central Lake branch of the Esquimalt & Nanaimo Railway. The matter came before the board owing to opposition from a property owner in the district. After an investigation by the board's engineer, the necessary order to proceed has now been granted by the Railway Commission.

Railway Agent Dies

SAN FRANCISCO, Dec. 2.—Augustine J. Aicher, fifty-eight, general agent for the Great Northern Railway, stationed here, died in a hospital today after an operation. He was born in England, came to America in 1881, and was stationed for years in various cities of the Pacific Northwest. He is survived by his widow and two children, one of them, Jack E. V. Aicher, an executive of the Seaboard Airplane Corporation of Los Angeles.

Funeral services will be held tomorrow.

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Schubert Club Recital, High School Auditorium, Tuesday, December 6, 8:15 p.m. Victoria's prize choir, assisted by Miss Vivian Mogrey, pianist, Mr. Allan Watson, vocalist. Admission 50 cents. Reserved 75 cents, at Fletcher Bros.

British Empire Lecture Bureau—Sunday, Dec. 4, 3 p.m., Chamber of Commerce, "The Abrahamic Covenant," by Fred T. Poort. All welcome.

Miss Hanman has returned to Victoria for the Winter. All who wish to avail themselves of her services would be well advised to commence their treatments without delay. 563 Sayward Building.

Women's Canadian Club—Monday, December 5, Empress Hotel, at 2:45 p.m., Sir Herbert Ames on "The Changing Spirit of Europe." Members please note change of day.

Canadian Girls in Training—Tea and Doughnut Sale this afternoon from 3 to 6, in the Fairfield United Church.

Rummage Sale—Emmanuel Baptist Schoolroom, Wednesday, December 7, at 3 p.m. Donations received Monday.

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Sale of Home Cooking—Dr. O. M. Jones Chapter, I.O.D.E. Spencer's lower main floor, Saturday, December 3, 1927.

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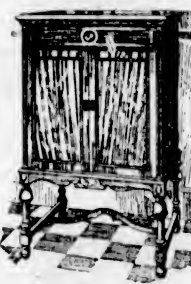
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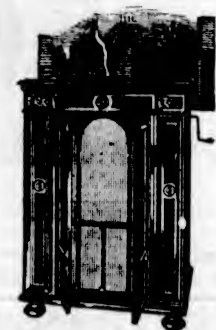
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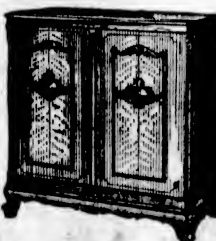
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CANDIDATES HEARD IN VICTORIA WEST

Mr. John Dean Again Outlines His Policy as Mayor—Aldermen and Trustee Candidates Speak

Continuing his election campaign for mayor, Mr. John Dean addressed a small audience in the Victoria West School last night, as also did candidates for other offices.

Mr. Dean said he was opposing the administration, most outstanding, however, was the purchase of the Esquimalt waterworks. This was a question on which he would have used his power of veto had he been mayor. The whole matter should have been put to the people for referendum vote and not taken to the Provincial Legislature to secure power of expropriation.

As at other meetings, Mr. Dean criticized "the importation of an auctioneer to sell city reverted land," and "an imported industrial commissioner." He did not think that increases in civic salaries should have been given by the present administration. The surrendering of the waterworks question, as it related to price to be paid by outlying municipalities, to a board of arbitration was another action of the Council that Mr. Dean criticized.

Agreeing to the board's award before it was known what that award would be, was not good business, he asserted.

In outlining his policy he repeated what he told the audience in the Royal Victoria Theatre. The most outstanding points were those advocating city manager form of government, doing away with selling of city land in competition with licensed real estate men, and non-replacement of pensioned employees.

Mr. Dean, in dealing with the importation of an alien industrial commissioner, criticized the expense of the industrial department. During Mr. Finlay's services to the city, the cost of the industrial department amounted to \$9,975.50, including salary, which was \$625. The cost of the department since Mr. Todd was appointed on August 9 had been \$677.

Other candidates to speak included Mrs. Emma Crocker, Mrs. J. A. Shanks, Alderman Mrs. Alderman Marchant, Alderman John Harvey and Mr. W. P. Fullerton, aspirants for aldermanic seats, and Mr. J. S. McMillan and Mr. P. E. George running for school trustees.

Alderman John Harvey, who made his first appearance in the election campaign since the Mayor's meeting, said that during the year he was absent from the council he made a trip to England in the interest of industrial advancement of

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HANGINGS POSTPONED

NEW WESTMINSTER, Dec. 2.—Word has been received by Sheriff H. H. McMartin from the office of the Minister of Justice, Ottawa, that the hanging of Kenneth Bailey, Donald Smith and Yutshi Yaoki has been postponed from January 6 to January 9. The reason given is that the former date is Epiphany, a church holiday.

Bailey was sentenced to Nelson for murdering Mrs. Jury at Trail. Smith was convicted of the murder of his wife in Vancouver, and the Japanese of the death of Mrs. Taka Takahashi, his landlady, also in Vancouver.

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Shower for Bride-to-Be

A surprise party in the form of a shower was held on Thursday evening for Miss Louise McWha, a popular bride-to-be, at her home, 1105 Hillside Avenue. During the evening the gifts were presented to Miss McWha in a large basket. Music and games concluded a very enjoyable time. The following were present: Mrs. Hobbs, Mrs. McWha, Mrs. Pugh, Mrs. Ederion, Mrs. George, Mrs. Hardy and Misses Louise McWha, Irene McAdams, Marie Blake-way, Mame Earnshaw, Florence Washington, Anne Cadden, Lydia Neary, Beth Schofield, Myrtle King, Juanita Pearson, Helen King, Isabella Garwell, Beth King, Gerie Enderion, Pearl Merryfield, Florence Turner, Edna Matthews, J. Batchelor, Stella Simmonds, Lola Dawson, Angela Fisher, Doris McKnight, Eulalie O'Neill, Edith White, Agnes Rogers and Agnes Landers.

Bridge and Mah Jong Parties

Mrs. J. A. Rithel, "Gibson," Rockland Avenue, was hostess at a bridge party yesterday afternoon, and will entertain at a mah jong party this afternoon. Her guests include Lady Barnard, Mrs. W. C. Nicol, Mrs. R. Carpenter, San Francisco; Mrs. P. D. Little, Mrs. C. F. Todd, Mrs. Alexis Martin, Mrs. A. W. Jones, Mrs. R. H. Pooley, Mrs. Hermann Robertson, Mrs. J. D. Hunter, Mrs. C. C. Cator, Mrs. B. S. Heisterman, Mrs. Archer Martin, Mrs. L. W. S. Cockburn, Mrs. W. H.

Squire, Mrs. Herbert Wilson, Mrs. C. E. Wilson, Mrs. T. S. Gore, Mrs. R. L. Billings, Mrs. H. G. Lawson, Mrs. C. E. Thomas, Mrs. A. D. Bechtel, Mrs. J. W. Lennox, Mrs. W. J. Bowser, Mrs. E. Todd, Mrs. A. T. Toward, Mrs. H. G. Wilson, Mrs. H. A. Rose, Mrs. H. D. Twigg, Mrs. H. Carpenter and Mrs. E. G. Prior.

Civil Service Dance

Christmas decorations added to the festive scene of the Alexandra ballroom last evening at the annual dance of the Provincial Civil Service Association. Christmas trees intertwined with red and green paper and scores of tiny colored electric lights were placed at intervals round the room, two holding in their green branches cleverly designed programme lists. A six-piece orchestra played throughout the evening, and supper was served at prettily decorated tables downstairs. Those in charge of the dance arrangements were Miss Gates, Mrs. Rose, Miss Brakes, Mrs. Holmes, Mr. P. Mellor, Mr. Colbert, Mr. W. Currie, Mr. Aubrey Wallis, Mr. W. Bridge, Mr. Ritchie and Mr. J. Villiers Fisher, president.

Surprise Party

A pleasant surprise party was given to Miss Ethel Hume at her home on Burdett Avenue, on Tuesday. The self-invited guests were Mrs. Seeley, Mrs. Young, Miss R. Gullam, Mr. and Mrs. Green, Mr. Hill, Mr. and Mrs. Sainsbury, Captain and Mrs. Wilson, Mr. and Mrs. Carter, Miss Kathleen Clark, Master George Clark, Mr. Readings, Mrs. H. L. Ricketts, Master Ian Wilson and Master Charles Sainsbury. Cards and dancing were enjoyed.

Whist Drive

A successful whist drive was held recently at the home of Mrs. T. H. Moody, 2509 Government Street. The following artists gave the short delightful programme: Mrs. H. Holmes, Miss Evelyn Valliant and Mr. Baker.

Leaving for Vancouver

Mrs. Harry Bullen and Miss Jane Warter are leaving for Vancouver tomorrow night to attend the opening performance of "A Bill of Divorcement" on Monday, in which Miss Freda Warter is acting.

Week-Ending in Vancouver

Mrs. R. Angus and Miss Amy Angus left yesterday afternoon to spend the week-end in Vancouver, where they are the guests of Mrs. B. T. Rogers, Shaughnessy Heights.

Will Visit Friends

Mrs. Lorne Campbell is leaving

for Vancouver tomorrow to spend a few days with Mr. and Mrs. A. N. Skell.

Leaves for East

Miss Urquhart, of October Mansions, left yesterday for the East owing to the serious illness of her brother.

From Tacoma

Dr. and Mrs. Horace Whitacre, of Tacoma, are in town for the North Pacific Surgical Association conference, and are at the Empress Hotel.

Empress Hotel

Sir Hatfield and Lady Boulton have arrived from London, and are at the Empress Hotel.

Lecturer Here

Mr. M. P. Greenwood Adams, of Melbourne, Australia, who lectured last evening under the auspices of the National Council of Education, is a guest at the Empress Hotel.

Returns to Cowichan

After a visit with Mrs. Denton Holmes, Mrs. Ashburnham returned to her home at Cowichan Lake yesterday.

Hostess at Bridge Party

Miss Ellen Hart entertained with three tables of bridge last evening at her home in Laurel Lane.

From Cowichan

Mr. and Mrs. Lionel Huntington, of Cowichan Bay, are in town, staying at the Empress Hotel.

Here from Vancouver

Dr. Robert McKeechie, of Vancouver, is a visitor in the city, and is registered at the Empress Hotel.

Salt Spring Personals

Guests registered at Harbor House, Ganges, are: Mr. G. F. Perrie, Mr. George West, Mr. Frank H. Ching (Vancouver) and Mr. May (Victoria).

Mrs. N. W. Wilson, of Barnaby, left on Wednesday for a week's visit to Victoria.

After two weeks' in Vancouver, Dr. Sutherland returned home to Ganges on Thursday.

Mr. Ian Halley is the guest for two weeks of Mr. and Mrs. C. R. Weatherell, of Ganges.

Mr. Cecil Rudge returned to Ganges on Thursday after spending two weeks at Fulford, the guest of Colonel Bryant.

BALLOON ON AIR LINES

A dance floor is part of the air liner which is being constructed for the proposed service between England and Australia. This type of ship now being built for the Imperial Airways will carry 100 passengers in the utmost comfort.

Miss Hazel Anderson Is Bride at Pretty Ceremony

A pretty wedding was solemnized on Wednesday evening at St. John's Church, when Rev. Robert Connell, assisted by Rev. F. A. P. Chadwick and Rev. Monague Bruce, officiated at the marriage of Miss Hazel Anderson, youngest daughter of Mr. and Mrs. R. A. Anderson, Craigflower Road, and Mr. Sidney Sherratt, youngest son of the late Mr. Robert Sherratt and Mrs. Sarah Sherratt, of Liverpool, England. For the occasion the church was beautifully decorated with masses of bronze chrysanthemums, palms and ferns, lovely white chrysanthemums being arranged on the altar. The guest pews were marked with tall staves tied with tulle bows.

To the notes of the Wedding March, played by the organist, Mr. Jennings Burnett, the bride, given in marriage by her father, wore a beautiful gown of ivory transparent velvet, slightly draped to the left side and ornamented with a rhinestone buckle. The court train, which hung from the shoulders, was lined with silver, a true lover's knot being embroidered in rhinestones at the left corner. The imported hand-embroidered veil over an inner layer of tulle was held in place by a Russian coronet of rose-point lace dotted with silver sequins and caught to the back of her head with a single spray of orange blossoms. She carried a shower bouquet of orchids and Ophelia rosebuds.

BRIDAL ATTENDANTS

Miss Emily Anderson, sister of the bride, was maid of honor, in a period gown of ivory taffeta, fastened with silver lace and uneven hemline, and with which a large ivory panne velvet hat was worn. She carried a bouquet of pink chrysanthemums.

Two little train-bearers were par-henry and Miss Annie McKenzie, in frocks of georgette and silver lace, chose powder blue and peach respectively, their wide-brimmed hats matching their frocks, and their bouquets composed of chrysanthemums and carnations. Two little train-bearers were particularly charming, both nieces of the groom, Dorothy Sherratt, in a frock of peach taffeta, and silver band in her hair, and Kathleen Fowler in a frock of powder blue and silver. Mr. Frank Sherratt was best man, the ushers being Mr. Sidney Shaw and Mr. Frank Jordan. The service was fully choral, with the choir in attendance, the hymn, "The Voice that Breath'd O'er Eden," being sung by the choir and congregation. During the signing of the register, Miss Alma Peatt sang "I Love You Truly."

RECEPTION HELD

Following the ceremony a reception was held at the home of the bride's parents, the house bright with a profusion of Autumn flowers, white and pink being chosen as the color scheme. The supper table was centered with a wedding cake and pink candles in silver candlesticks. Rosebuds and fern added to the charming appearance of the table. The bride and groom were assisted in receiving by Mrs. Anderson, wearing a gown of black transparent velvet and smart French model hat, and by Mrs. Sherratt, mother of the groom, in a gown of black crepe-back satin with becoming hat to match.

The young couple left on the night boat for a honeymoon in the Sound cities, the bride traveling in an ensemble costume of beige, with small hat to match and a fur wrap. The groom's gift to the bride was a diamond dinner ring; to the maid of honor, a rhinestone bangle; to the bridesmaids, vanity cases; to the best man, a ring; to the ushers, cuff links, and from the bride, the little train-bearers received rings. Among the many beautiful presents received by the bride and groom was a silver tea service and tray from the office staff of the Hudson's Bay Company, of which the bride has been a member for the past four years; a mantle clock to the groom from the Victoria West football team, and a silver flower basket filled with chrysanthemums from the members of St. John's Church Choir, of which the bride was a member. Among the out-of-town guests were Mr. and Mrs. P. Kindlides and Mr. Alex. Rutherford, of Vancouver.

Women's Clubs and Societies

R. B. McKicking Chapter, I.O.D.E. A silver tea and bazaar will be held under the auspices of the Robert Burns McKicking Chapter of the I.O.D.E., this afternoon at the home of Miss Helen Richards, 2219 Blanshard Street. Mrs. H. Gillespie, municipal regent, has consented to open the same. Among other interesting things, the I.O.D.E. will present a valuable selection for Christmas shopping at reasonable prices. An enjoyable programme has also been arranged, featuring some well-known talent. An exhibition of dancing will be given by Miss Sybil Holyoke, and Mrs. Clarence S. Brown, formerly Miss Constance D. Meads, of Hollingham, a pianist, will give a piano selection. Miss Kay Kenning will render a vocal selection, and Misses Mona Rickaby and Hazel Clyde will perform at the piano. No admission fee will be charged.

Mission Circle

The open meeting of the Emmanuel Baptist Women's Mission Circle was a profitable one. Rev. Nelson A. Harkness, secretary of the British Columbia Auxiliary of the Canadian Bible Society, gave an address on "The Bible Society's Contribution to the Missionary Enterprise." A display of gifts for a Baptist home missionary were on view; these are to be forwarded in time for Christmas. The Ladies' Aid Society is preparing for a rummage sale, to be held in the schoolroom next Wednesday afternoon at 2 o'clock. An augmented choir and vocal and instrumental artists will provide excellent music at a concert to be given in the church on Monday evening at 8 o'clock.

Equimait United Bazaar

The attention of friends and the public is invited to the annual Christmas bazaar of the Equimait United Church, to be held in the large schoolroom of the church on Wednesday evening next, at 8

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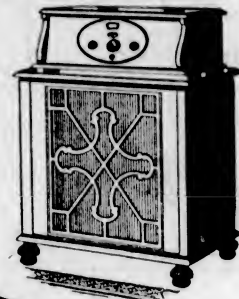
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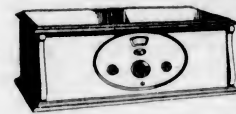
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Dr. Sedgewick Will Give Address On Shakespeare

Under the auspices of the Victoria College Alumni, Dr. G. G. Sedgewick, professor of English at the University of British Columbia, will speak this evening at 8 o'clock at Victoria College on "A Guest at the Philosophy of Shakespeare." The proceeds of this lecture will be given to the new library fund, which is the special interest of the alumni.

Though still in its earliest stages, the library promises to become one of the most valued assets of the college. A small charge will be made for the lecture. In speaking of the forthcoming lecture on Thursday evening at the University Extension session, Mr. C. C. Fuller, president, remarked "Shakespeare is always a fascinating subject, but coupled with the name 'Sedgewick' it should indeed prove a rare treat."

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And Jim keeps saying: "You would have to be a saint to be a saint." For my part, I think Martin Craig is the one who has been put upon; if an apology is due anybody it is due to him. After all, it was our party and Willie is Jim's sister.

There isn't very much to tell about the housewarming; housewrecking, it should be called.

There is a great cigarette burn in the lovely tapestry of Jim's easy chair; another one of the piano where somebody parked a cigarette; and our beautiful dining-room table is all nicked up from the coin tricks that Fred and Scott Holman played on it.

Just another party, the sort of affair that every party becomes if there's enough bootleg around—and goodness knows, the supply seemed inexhaustible.

First the gathering in the kitchen for the welcoming round... then dancing and more drinks... more drinks and more dancing. Then the jazz song shouting. More dancing and more drinks. Then the sad songs—dear old Alma Mater stuff and finally "Sweet Adeline." Supper and mauldin farewells.

Just another party. The back porch was turned into a tiny saloon and Fred, as self-appointed bartender, presided with practiced skill at the bar—on more prosaic occasions, the stationary washbasin.

While Fred dispensed doubtful cheer, Vera did the vamp act. Give Vera two drinks and she thinks she's Peggy Joyce. Nor does it make the slightest difference to Vera whose husband she vamps. Perhaps, because I was the hostess of the evening she thought she owed it to me, as a sort of left-handed compliment to pick on Jim.

I'm not blaming Jim. He isn't clever enough to see through Vera's little game.

When Vera pretended to be faint and in need of some fresh air and persuaded Jim to take her for a drive, I haven't a doubt that Jim really thought he was doing the gallant thing.

What happened, I don't know. Certainly, I wouldn't even pretend to Jim that I noticed his absence. But, knowing Vera as I do, I'd be willing to bet she managed to park under a dark tree.

By the time they got back Craig had arrived. He explained to me, a little later, that he had had a dinner engagement and couldn't get there any earlier.

Well, it was funny to see how quickly Vera dropped Jim for Martin Craig. How she dropped him for that man! Just supplanted him to death. Even Madge Truman, Pete's little brown wren of a wife, got all flushed when she met him.

Even Pete noticed it. "Hey, Judy," he whispered to me out in the kitchen while I was loading a tray with sandwiches. "did you see how Madge got all fussed up when your elegant Craig sat down beside her? Some sheik, I'll say. Where'd you find him?"

"Now, Pete, don't get jealous." I laughed when I said it, for Peter and Madge are the happiest couple I know—excepting the MacByrnes next door. Peter's in the same office with Jim and old Jim thinks he's awfully brassy.

He's another nice homey man—wears thick horn-rim glasses and has big ears. He may have brains for all I know, but until he married

Madge, three years ago, he was just plugging along and getting nowhere. I set him to work now pouring the coffee while I explained just who Martin Craig was and why I had invited such a heart-thriller to the party.

You never know, Peter, when you'll need your old job back. Just as well to remind your boss that you're still on earth."

"You're not thinking of going back to work, Judy?"

"N—no; not unless I have to."

"No danger of that I guess. Jim's pals about you."

"Do you really think so, Peter?"

"All at once I had a great desire to confide in Peter. But that, of course, would be quite impossible. It wouldn't be fair to Jim."

"Don't men, Peter, when they really love their wives, try to make them happy as they promised to do before they married them?"

"Meaning?"

"Well, you know what I mean. For instance: when you proposed to Madge you probably told her just the same thing that every man tells the girl he wants to marry. You told her you would do anything in the world to make her happy."

"Good Lord, Judy, it isn't fair to remember what a man said when he proposed. He wasn't in his right mind, anyhow."

Peter held up his hand and counted on his fingers—one, two, three, four. "Yes, you and Jim have been married about four months now, judging from the symptoms."

"What do you mean, symptoms?"

"Growing pointed, Judy; you can tell, by analyzing the particular growing pain, just how long a couple has been married."

"Punk, Peter."

"Mark my words, Judy, wait and see if you and Jim don't begin to quarrel about money matters when you've been married six months; and about the dullness of marriage in another six months. And if you haven't already fought over Jim's night out or if one of you hasn't blown up with jealousy before this, then there's something wrong with both of you."

Before I could answer this ridiculous diagnosis of marriage symptoms, there was a wild rattle at the door.

"Now who in the world can that be?" I left Peter and hurried to the front door. And there stood Willie, Jim's kid sister. Alone, at that hour of the night.

"Hello, Jim Judy," she called out just as cheerily as if she had been invited.

Her cheeks were flaming and her eyes, seemed to me, were suspiciously bright. A dissipated baby. It took a lot of will-power to resist plunging her and sending her back home.

Jim almost had a fit when he saw her. Since I was busy with supper preparations, I turned her over to him.

That's how it happened that Jim was the one to introduce her to Craig. Indeed, I reminded him of that fact the next day. A fine morning after we were having.

"Jim," I said at last, "it's time somebody was taking that kid sister of yours in hand. She's just a baby."

"Oh, go on. She's just a baby."

"Baby my eye. Wish I had her technique. She made a perfect little fool of herself over Craig."

Well, old Jim, just stormed around. I was putting an evil construction on an innocent interest in a sophisticated man of the world though he'd be damned if he could see why any woman would fall for him. Just a mere child, Willie baby!

"You make me sick, Jim. And mother is just as blind as you are."

Somebody has to begin to look after Willie or she's coming to grief."

"Oh, I guess Willie can take care of herself."

"That's a cowardly, grown-up way of ducking responsibility, Jim."

Well, we quarreled about Willie until 2 o'clock. We were still wrangling about her when the phone rang. Jim, in his lounging robe, slouched over and answered it.

It was Mother Jim's voice. I could hear it from where I sat. It came over the wire, high and shrill and hysterical.

When Jim hung up the receiver his face was gray and set. "Good heavens, Jim; what's wrong? Anything serious?"

Fly-paper, by its odor, attracts the flies, says a manufacturer. Some of the door do seem rather attached to it.

French Apron Makes a Charming Christmas Gift



THE apron in the sketch came, not long ago, from France. Isn't it pretty?

Pretty enough for a Christmas gift—a gift sure to be liked by any woman, young or old. You can make it suitable to any taste by choosing the right sort of material. For an older woman you might choose grey, with a figured grey, lavender and white material for bib and trimmings. Or dark blue, with a figured blue, white, black and red for contrast. All according to the taste of the woman in question.

For the younger woman, giddy, figured prints are very attractive. The original apron was made of red cotton material, with bib and trimmings of red, blue and orange. Very giddy—very effective.

You could make one of black satin, with trimmings of the gayest sort of figured material. You could make one of bright blue, with blue, white, orange and green figures in the trimming part.

The thing is to find a combination that is effective—plain and figured material if not of the same fabric, at least of fabrics that combine well.

The skirt part of the apron is a square, twenty-two inches wide. There is a trimming band at the bottom about four inches wide, and a small rounded pocket stitched on at one side. The sides of the skirt are finished with a narrow, machine-stitched hem. The top is gathered.

The bib is eleven inches high and eleven inches wide at the bottom. It slopes down to ten inches wide at the top. The trimming band across the top is cut in little points. The sides of the bib are turned under in a narrow hem, and the skirt portion is fastened to the bib in a small French hem.

Now for the straps. They are thirty-three inches long, and about an inch and a half wide—hemmed on both sides. One end of each strap is fastened to the top of the bib, as indicated in the sketch. The other end is finished with a little loop buttonhole, striped in cotton to match in color the fabric of the apron, and is fastened to a button at each side where bib and skirt join.

Hostess at Enjoyable Party

Miss Jean Dunbar was a charming hostess at a bridge tea yesterday afternoon at her home on Monterey Avenue. The tea table, presided over by Mrs. Dunbar and Mrs. James Laurie, was arranged with mauve chrysanthemums. The invited guests included Miss Helen Mackenzie, Mrs. Humphrey Baynes, Mrs. S. Barker, Mrs. A. G. Bolton, Mrs. Wallace Curry, Mrs. Ian Agnew, Mrs. Gordon Campbell, Mrs. Hammond, Mrs. H. McCounhill, Mrs. Hecchner, Mrs. Hugh Peters, Mrs. Kenneth Raymur, Mrs. John Grant, Mrs. King, Mrs. M. Bell-Irving, Mrs. Kinsley, Mrs. Morrison, Mrs. B. Wilson, Mrs. Harold Wilson, Mrs. Walker, Mrs. Church, Mrs. Gordon Cameron, Mrs. W. H. M. Haldane, Mrs. Gairvrau, Mrs. W. C. Morrison, Mrs. G. B. Williams, Mrs. Allan Fraser, Mrs. B. Acland, Mrs. Russell Ker, Mrs. Margaret, Miss Jane Watter, Miss Margaret McVillie, Miss Ruth McBride, Miss Anna McBride, Miss Margaret Scott, Miss Mary Rattenbury, Miss Phyllis Barton, Miss Dola Dunsmuir, Miss K. Clay, Miss Catherine Fraser, Misses Helen, Norah and Marion Wilson, Miss Molly Guernsey, Miss Jean McLaren, Miss Peggy Hodgins, Misses Streator, Miss Jennie Carey, Miss K. Ross, Miss Ines Carey, Miss Marjorie Oates, Miss May Goff, Miss Norah McEachern, Miss Beryl Wallace, Miss Vivien Malson and Miss Helen Macdonald.

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WINNIPEG, Man., Dec. 2.—What is probably a record for the shipment of live silver foxes has just been established by the Canadian National Express. According to advices received from Europe, a shipment of thirteen animals, valued at \$8,000, went from Winnipeg to Antwerp in fourteen days and was received in good order. The money for them reached the shipper, through cable, on the fifteenth day. The foxes were bound for Alaska Lorraine, as were ten others which left here yesterday, valued at \$5,000. Last week the Canadian National Express sent two shipments of silver foxes from Winnipeg to Sweden. Their value was approximately \$5,000.

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At the Playhouses

AMUSEMENTS

THE SCREEN
Capitol—Richard Barthelmess in "The Drop Kick."
Columbia—"The Hero on Horseback" starring Hoot Gibson.
Dominion—"What Price Glory," with an all-star cast.
Playhouse—Dolores Costello in "A Million Bids."

THE STAGE
Coliseum—"Everybody's Doing It."
Crystal Garden—Swimming and dancing.

COLISEUM The Ray Bell Company Theatre are presenting today a hilarious comedy entitled "Everybody's Doing It," which is without a doubt the funniest comedy that any stock company has ever produced in this city. "Everybody's Doing It"—little more need be said, as those who have seen the Ray Bell Stock Company know that they certainly put the show over. On the screen is Richard Dix in "Shanghai Bound."

COLUMBIA The latest Hoot Gibson starring vehicle, "A Hero on Horseback," showing today at the Columbia Theatre, embraces a plot with more than the usual number of ingenious twists, and should easily be the best of the popular cowboy film star's recent releases. The picture is the screen version of Peter B. Kyne's original story entitled "Bread Upon the Waters," and was filmed under the direction of Del Andrews.

PLAYHOUSE Douglas Gerrard, now supporting Dolores Costello in "A Million Bids," showing today at the Playhouse Theatre, was born in County Dublin, Ireland, in 1887. He was educated at Trinity College, Dublin, and Heidelberg University. He started in pictures as leading man for Pavlova in "The Dumb Girl of Portici" and was Mary Pickford's leading man in "Rags." He was in Warner Bros. "The Light House by the Sea," "On Thin Ice," "Footloose Widows" and "Wolf's Clothing."

DOMINION The William Fox Theatre screen translation of the celebrated stage success "What Price Glory" will end its successful engagement at the Dominion Theatre tonight. This greatest of all war comedies is having the triumph it deserves. The leading roles are played by Victor McLaglen, Edmund Lowe and Dolores Del Rio.

CAPITOL "The Drop Kick" starring Richard Barthelmess is showing today at the Capitol Theatre. This story, dealing with college life today, is full of college boys and girls, college scenes, football games, fraternity dances and all the college atmosphere of today. On the stage the vaudeville attraction will be presented three times, commencing at 4, 7 and 9 o'clock in order to accommodate the large Saturday crowds. The acts include: Western A. Brenda, two exceptionally clever piano and violin artists, in "Musical Logues," a novelty musical presentation; Albert McGillivray, the noted radio soloist, who has been re-engaged for another week in answer to repeated demands by Capitol fans; and Little Dena Pastoro, a Russian child danseuse, completes the fine bill with some very good dance creations.

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COLUMBIA

Cohen and Miss Levy Must Travel Direct

HONOLULU, Dec. 2.—United States immigration authorities having refused permission to Norman Cohen and Miss Thelma Levy, of Sydney, N.S.W., to proceed to destination at Vancouver, British Columbia, by way of the United States, Cohen and Miss Levy departed on the steamer Niagara today for Vancouver direct. When the Niagara put into Honolulu October 7, on the voyage from Sydney to Vancouver, Cohen and Miss Levy carried ashore too long and were left behind. They were arrested next day, when they applied for permission to proceed to Vancouver via San Francisco, and appealed to Washington, asserting that they had been subjected to high-handed treatment by immigration officials.

Summer Fete Urged To Advertise City

Publicity schemes which had made cities of Southern France famous as resorts, were described by Mr. Charles S. Barbe yesterday, in speaking to the members of the tourist trade group of the Chamber of Commerce. He believed Victoria could organize a Summer fete which would make the city a gathering place for thousands. Fruit, flowers and children were things which Victoria could produce better than any other place in North America, and they should be brought before a public which was always seeking a novelty, he declared. In the discussion which followed, Mr. C. P. Hill, Alderman John Harvey and Mr. Ivan W. Awde stated their views.

Dies in Taxi

TORONTO, Dec. 2.—While sleeping in a cramped condition in a taxicab here last night, Harry B. Hopkins, fifty, of Kilmount, Ont., died from strangulation.

Police state Hopkins hired a taxi in Lindsay to drive him and two friends to this city. Hopkins dropped to sleep on the journey and was covered with a blanket for fear he might catch cold.

Children Give Stones

The children of St. Alban's Sunday School, Victoria, contributed the sum of \$5.40 this week to the new Christ Church Cathedral, as their gift of a first stone to the "children's corner." A boy living in James Bay recently brought to the Memorial Hall fifty ten-cent pieces, which he had collected in a coin bank, as his gift of a stone to the "children's corner."

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Sidney Social Club

The regular weekly meeting of the Sidney Social Club was held in the club rooms, Berquist Hall, on Wednesday evening. There was a good attendance of members, who spent a most enjoyable time at military revue, which was played at five tables. Play for twenty hands resulted in the prizes being presented to Mr. and Mrs. Lidgate, Mrs. Hambley, and Mr. Prall.

At the termination of the cards, the bachelor members served the supper of clam chowder and coffee, and a social hour was indulged in.

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Vancouver Island News

THEFTS LEAD TO JAIL SENTENCE

TWO MEN CHARGED IN NANAIMO
Court With Stealing Clothes, Launch and Car
NANAIMO, Dec. 2.—Thomas McMahon and James O'Rourke were yesterday morning brought before Magistrate C. H. Beevor Potts charged with the theft of clothing from a section house belonging to Chinese at Nanaimo Bay. A sentence of six months' imprisonment was imposed on James O'Rourke. The two men were also charged with attempting to steal a launch belonging to Joseph Beque of Big Qualicum and were sentenced to twelve months in jail. On a third charge of theft of a car from Cowichan, belonging to Mrs. E. P. Mackie, both men were sentenced to two years in the penitentiary. The car was stolen on the night of November 16 at Cowichan, and was found on November 24 at Qualicum, hidden in a bush and destroyed by fire. The first two sentences are to run consecutively and the third will run concurrently.

Another Panther Shot Near Kangaroo Road

METCHOSIN, Dec. 2.—A very large panther, which had destroyed a number of sheep lately, was shot by Mr. Smith, the government hunter, on Mr. Young's property off the Kangaroo Road on Wednesday. This is the second panther accounted for by Mr. Smith during the last few days.

LUXTON DANCES

LUXTON, Dec. 2.—The hall committee held a dance in aid of the funds on Thursday evening. There was rather a poor attendance, owing to the date having been changed. In future the dances will be held every second Friday, commencing from Friday, December 16, from 8 to 1 o'clock.

Scottish Concert Is Well Appreciated by Courtenay Audience

COURTENAY, Dec. 2.—An appreciative audience filled the Galety Theatre here to capacity on Wednesday night for the Scottish concert. The visiting artists from Vancouver were Miss Myrtle Thomson, gold medalist, contralto; Syd. Hollish, tenor, and W. McCormish, comedian. The local talent assisting included Mr. H. Jackson of Cumberland, conjurer and acrobat; the Misses Frances and Kay Moore in song and dance, and Mr. W. Jackson, cornet solo and recitation. The concert was staged under the auspices of the Scottish Society, Mr. John Inglis, its president, acting as master of ceremonies for the evening. The audience demanded encores in nearly every number.

PIONEER BURIED AT SALT SPRING

William McFadden, Lifetime Resident of That Island, Is Laid to His Last Rest

SALT SPRING, Dec. 2.—The funeral of the late Wm. McFadden, whose death occurred at 5 p.m. on Friday last at St. Joseph's Hospital, Victoria, took place here on Wednesday at 2 p.m. Service was held at St. Mark's Church, Rev. J. W. Flinton officiating, and afterwards the coffin was conveyed to the Central Settlement Cemetery, where the remains were laid to rest. A large number of relatives and friends followed and many floral tributes covered the coffin and were placed on the grave. The pallbearers were Messrs. Fred Abbott, Charles Weddie, N. W. Wilson, Alsterman, William Mount and Young. Mr. McFadden was the only surviving son of the late Mr. and Mrs. J. McFadden, the former of Tyrone, Ireland, and while still a baby was brought by his parents from his birthplace, Bella Bella, to make his home on Salt Spring, where he had remained ever since, with the exception of eight years, spent as a hunter in the sealing vessels on the coasts of North and South America and Japan. In addition to farming, the late Mr. McFadden acted as provincial constable, and for twelve years rural mail carrier in the district. He was sixty-six years of age, a resident of this island since 1861. He is survived by his widow, one son, Mrs. E. McFadden, of Salt Spring, five daughters, Mrs. Charles Hunter, of Vancouver; Mrs. James Ryan, of Salt Spring; Mrs. Cantrill, of the mainland; Mrs. J. L. Selver, of Reid Island; Mrs. Henry Brown, of Sooke, and Miss P. McFadden, of Salt Spring Island.

Gulf Islands School Gives Entertainment

SALT SPRING, Dec. 2.—On Monday afternoon Miss Nichol, principal of the Gulf Islands School for Girls, received the parents of her pupils at her home at Ganges, where some excellent work was exhibited. Specimens of drawing, painting, needlework, hand made baskets and other articles made by the girls during the term were on view. There was also a most successful little entertainment given by the children with an interval for tea between the junior and senior parts of the programme. The performance included solos, choruses, recitations and a little play, the children doing their individual parts well. The following took part: Dulcie Crofton, P. Layton, D. Ley, Winsome Morris, Marjory Rowan, H. Moorhouse, M. Thompson, Daphne Norris, Peggy Rowan, B. Ramsay, Wendy Benson and Betty Ley.

Sudden Death Calls Mr. Bell at Nanaimo

NANAIMO, Dec. 2.—George Bell was found dead yesterday since a concert in a chair at his home on Irwin Street here by a friend who called to pay a visit. Death is believed to be due to natural causes. Mr. Bell was born in England seventy-seven years ago, and had resided in Nanaimo for forty years. He is survived by a very successful son and a daughter, Mrs. W. Polkinghorne, of California. A daughter, Mrs. W. Ferguson, formerly of this city, lives in Vancouver.

Bevan News Notes

Mr. T. W. Carlisle and Mr. J. Barton, of the K. & K. Pole Company, have been transferred to Menzies Bay.

Miss Jarvis, of the Bevan Public School teaching staff, has returned to her duties at the school, having fully recovered from her recent accident.

The Gwilt Lumber Company has started felling timber on each side of the Bevan-Cumberland Road and will soon have two denkey engines working full blast.

Form Credit Bureau

COURTENAY, Dec. 2.—During the past week Mr. C. Worthington, assisted by Mr. Bridge, has been engaged here in the formation of a local credit bureau. A large proportion of the retail merchants have taken membership in the bureau. On Thursday evening, in the City Hall, the first annual meeting took place, when the following officers were elected: Chairman, Mr. P. L. Anderson; directors, Messrs. G. T. Corfield, J. M. Macintyre, R. U. Hurford, and Wm. Booth; secretary, Mr. W. A. Haines. Over twenty members of the bureau were present out of a total of thirty.

METCHOSIN LECTURE

METCHOSIN, Dec. 2.—On Saturday evening, December 10, an open meeting will be held at the home of Mrs. McVicker at 8 o'clock, when Mrs. Alice Weeks will speak on "Is an International Language Needed?" Mesdames Young and Reid will be hostesses.

SALE OF WORK IS DECIDED SUCCESS

"We Try" Class of Sidney United Church Find Efforts at Entertainment Appreciated

SIDNEY, Dec. 2.—The "We Try" class of the Sidney United Church held a sale of work and concert in the Wesley Hall here which was a decided success, over fifty dollars being realized. The sale started at seven in the evening and the stalls were well patronized until the start of the concert. The fancywork stall was in charge of Misses Winifred Taylor, Mary Taylor and Kathleen Lowe, who showed a good display of fancy sewing done by the girls at their class during the year. The home cooking stall was well looked after by Miss Winifred Thornley, Miss Muriel Hordridge and Joy McKillop. The "Cupids' Corner," which proved very popular, was in charge of Misses Hatty Barker and Dora Thornley.

The varied programme given by the girls of the class was well rendered and drew much appreciative comment. It opened with the class song, "The Reason Why," followed by the class motto given by Joy McKillop. A recitation, "The Reason Why," was given by Mary Taylor, followed by the song, "The Reason Why," by Joy McKillop. The dialogue, "The Three Applicants," was the amusing story of three old maids and their attempts to win the hand of the same bachelor. This was followed by comic recitations, "The Optimistic Frog," and "Johnny's Pals' Skates," by Pauline Clanton and Muriel Hordridge. Kathleen Lowe sang two solos very sweetly, "Beautiful Isle of the Sea," and "I Heard You Go By." The play, "The Village of the Sea," by Mary Taylor and Edna Hordridge, "Won't You Buy My Pretty Flowers?" was much appreciated. A dialogue, "Mrs. Waddie, N. W. Wilson, Alsterman, William Mount and Young. Mr. McFadden was the only surviving son of the late Mr. and Mrs. J. McFadden, the former of Tyrone, Ireland, and while still a baby was brought by his parents from his birthplace, Bella Bella, to make his home on Salt Spring, where he had remained ever since, with the exception of eight years, spent as a hunter in the sealing vessels on the coasts of North and South America and Japan. In addition to farming, the late Mr. McFadden acted as provincial constable, and for twelve years rural mail carrier in the district. He was sixty-six years of age, a resident of this island since 1861. He is survived by his widow, one son, Mrs. E. McFadden, of Salt Spring, five daughters, Mrs. Charles Hunter, of Vancouver; Mrs. James Ryan, of Salt Spring; Mrs. Cantrill, of the mainland; Mrs. J. L. Selver, of Reid Island; Mrs. Henry Brown, of Sooke, and Miss P. McFadden, of Salt Spring Island.

Musical Service Is Greatly Appreciated

SIDNEY, Dec. 2.—The musical service at the Sidney United Church on Sunday last was very much enjoyed by the large congregation. The organ was provided by a quartette from the First United Church choir from Victoria, with instrumentalists by Dr. William Bryce and Mr. Reg. Beswick. Musical expressions of appreciation were heard on all sides for the beautiful music rendered during the service. Mrs. W. H. Wilson sang two solos, "Oh, Had I Jubal's Lyre," and "Leaping," in her lovely soprano voice. Mr. W. C. Pye gave a tenor solo, "It Was For Me," and two quartettes, "Lead Kindly Light," and "Breathe on Me, Breath of God," were rendered by Mrs. Wilson, Miss Ellen Smith, Mr. Pye and Major Frith. A duet, "Tarry With Me," was given by Mrs. Wilson and Mr. Pye. Dr. William Bryce delighted everyone with several violin solos, and Mr. Beswick gave a saxophone selection, "The Grace is Sufficient for Me." An arrangement of "The Rose Tree" was rendered by the choir. "Sweet Sabbath Eve," Mrs. Frith and Miss Hambley acted as accompanists during the evening.

Sidney School to Give Fairy Play

SIDNEY, Dec. 2.—The children of the Sidney School will hold a concert in the auditorium on Tuesday evening, December 6, at 8 o'clock. The programme consists of a playlet, "Sleeping Beauty," with dances and drills from the lower divisions. Rehearsals have been going forward steadily for some time, and the affair promises to be a very successful one. The first fairy tale play to be given in Sidney for some time by the school pupils.

Conjuring Delights Cobble Hill Audience

COBBLE HILL, Dec. 2.—The Community Hall at Cobble Hill was packed on Wednesday evening at an entertainment in aid of the Boy Scout movement, when Mr. P. Merrieth, of Victoria, delighted the audience with his clever conjuring, and his daughter with her dancing.

Dance for Solarium

SIDNEY, Dec. 2.—The energetic committee who so successfully carried out the Armistice dance on November 11, will hold another dance in the Berquist Hall on Friday evening, December 9, the proceeds of which will be donated to the Solarium. Scheffels orchestra will be in attendance. Refreshments will be served, and several good tomboola prizes are being offered.

Smoker at Shownigan

SHAWNIGAN LAKE, Dec. 2.—On Wednesday evening a most enjoyable and successful smoking concert was held at the Forest Inn, organized by the workers, who took the opportunity to present to the contractor, Mr. C. Boniface, a charming watercolor of Shawnigan Lake as a mark of appreciation of his consideration towards them during the construction of the building. The picture was the work of Mr. James Christensen.

With a single stroke of a camel's hair brush, Sargent, the painter, could change a smiling face to a frowning one. "That's nothing. My mother can do that with the back of a hair brush."

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Dorset Soda Biscuits, in boxes containing about 4 1/2 lbs. Special, per box 58c
Select Graham Wafers, in boxes containing about 3 1/2 lbs. Special, each 79c

Tea and Coffee Section
H.B.C. Family Blend Tea, lb. 45c
H.B.C. Special Breakfast Tea, per lb. 55c
3 lbs. for \$1.60
H.B.C. Ceylon Broken Orange Pekoe Tea, per lb. 45c
3 lbs. for \$1.35
H.B.C. Freshly Roasted Pure Coffee, per lb. 45c

Grocery Section
Finest Quality B.C. Granulated Sugar, 20 lb. paper sack, \$1.46
Finest Quality Reclined Australian Currants, per lb. 44c
3 lbs. for \$1.35
California Bulk Seedless Raisins, per lb. 14c
3 lbs. for 42c
California Bulk Seeded Raisins, per lb. 14c
3 lbs. for 42c
White Meat Manchurian Walnut Pieces, per lb. 30c
Three Crown Valencia Almonds, per lb. 59c
Three Crown Golden Sultana Raisins, special, per lb. 19c
2 lbs. for 38c
New Season's Imported Mixed Peel, per lb. 33c
Finest Quality Desiccated Coconut, per lb. 25c
Emment Brand Pure Orange Marmalade, 4 lb. tin, special 57c
Wehney's Condensed Mince-meat, per pkg. 21c
Clark's Choice Mince-meat, 21c
Jar Home Brand Tomato Ketchup, quart bottle, special 23c

Fruit and Vegetable Section
Extra Fancy Okanagan Yellow Newton Apples, per box \$3.50
Local Cox's Orange Pippin Apples, per box
Finest Quality Cooking Apples, per box \$1.65
New Season's Cape Cod Cranberries, per lb. 35c
Choice Florida Seedling Apples, per lb. 15c
Peach Florida Grapefruit, each 15c and 20c
California Grapefruit, 3 for 25c
California Red Emperor Grapes, per lb. 15c
Finest Sweet Potatoes, 4 lbs 25c
Local Turnips, Parsnips and Beets, 10 lbs. for 25c
Fresh Local Celery, per stick, 15c and 15c
Brussels Sprouts, 3 lbs. for 25c
Jerusalem Artichokes, per lb. 5c
Spanish Onions, per lb. 25c
B.C. Cooking Onions, 8 lbs. 25c
Nice Cauliflower, each 15c, 20c and 25c
Local Hothouse Tomatoes, per lb. 15c
Fresh Head Lettuce, each 10c
New Japanese Oranges, box 90c
California Sun-kist Navel Oranges just arrived.
—Lower Main Floor, H.B.C.

3,500 Pounds of Prime Steer Beef
At Special Low Prices Today
Sirloin, T-Bone, Wing Loin, Sirloin Tip, Prime Rib, Aitchbone, Rumps and Rounds, from 4 lbs. and over. All at per lb. 25c
Choice Young Pork
Loins, Fillets and Ribs, lb. 30c
Shoulders, per lb. 28c
Butts and Sides, lb. 25c
Local Veal
Ribs and Shoulders, per lb. 25c
Rumps, per lb. 28c
Loins, per lb. 30c
Racks, per lb. 28c
Shoulders, whole or half, lb. 21c
Poultry
Milk-Fed Chickens, per lb. 42c
Choice Fowl per lb. 35c
—Lower Main Floor, H.B.C.

High-Grade Overcoats



On Sale Today at the Special Low Price of 29.95

All the new season's models to choose from—single and double breasted, set-in and raglan sleeves. Beautifully tailored from pure wool overcoatings, including the popular blue chinchillas, soft velours and heavy tweed fabrics. Regular values to \$40.00. Special today... \$29.95

Boys' Blue Serge Suits

With Long Trousers, Plus Fours or Knickers
Ask for Number Eight-Eighty-Eight

This is one of our staple lines of boys' clothing and one we can thoroughly recommend for wear and service. The material is a rough blue serge, all pure wool, in an ideal weight for boys' wear. The coats are shown in both double and single-breasted styles and are tailored to fit.

Coat and two pairs of straight knickers. Sizes 6 to 14 years	\$12.00
Coat, vest and plus fours. Sizes 9 to 16 years	\$13.50
Coat, vest and long trousers. Sizes 9 to 17 years	\$13.50
Coat, vest, long trousers and plus fours. Sizes 10 to 14 years	\$16.50
Separate long trousers to match. Per pair	\$2.95

—Main Floor, H.B.C.

Scott-McHale Oxfords

FOR MEN

Nationally known for their excellent wearing and fitting qualities as well as smart appearance, Scott-McHale Oxfords are fashioned from the best leathers and materials. The new Winter arrivals include black calf, tan calf and brown calf, in both conservative and trimmed models, with heavy single slip soles and welted soles. Choice of Blucher or Balmoral styles. A splendid value at, per pair \$7.50
—Main Floor, H.B.C.

Smoking Jackets and Dressing Jackets

Make Acceptable Gifts for Men

Neat and Useful Smoking Jackets
In plain dark browns, greys and blues, and in light fawn checks and tan checks, finished with fancy silk cord with contrasting trimmings: cuff sleeves. Sizes 36 to 44. Prices, \$11.50, \$12.50, \$16.50
Silk Velvet Smoking Jackets
Rich looking, silk lined and perfect fitting in black and wine color. Sizes 36 to 44. Price—\$22.50
Men's Dressing Gowns
In a wide range of new patterns in stripes, checks and assorted square designs. Well made gowns with silk cable cords, and cuffs, collar and pockets all nicely trimmed with silk cord. Sizes 36 to 44. Price, each \$8.95
Large Fitting Warm Dressing Gowns
In heavy weight wool, in smart two-tone effects and light weight check fawn styles. They are all smartly trimmed and have good appearance. Sizes 36 to 44. Price, each \$15.00
Handsome Wool Dressing Gowns
In a splendid range of the new check and plaid styles, trimmed in the newest silk cord styles, and shown in beautiful shades and colorings. Sizes 36 to 44. Prices, each \$20.00 and \$22.50
Wool Taffeta Dressing Gowns
English made, and shown in the latest floral designs. These light weight gowns are splendidly tailored and very rich in appearance. Sizes 36 to 42. Price, each \$13.50
"Jaeger" Pure Wool Dressing Gowns
In dressy reversible plaid patterns. Price, each \$30.00
"Jaeger" Pure Undyed Camel Hair Dressing Gowns
Beautifully made in this soft, luxurious fabric that will give you lasting wear and comfort. Sizes 36 to 42. Price, per garment \$47.50
—Main Floor, H.B.C.

Brocade Silk Dressing Gowns
In good heavy quality material, in rich colorings with two-tone floral designs, faced with black satin and with black satin shawl collar. Colors are light blue and crimson. Sizes 38 to 44. Priced at, each \$30.00
"Jaeger" All-Wool Smoking Jackets
In handsome reversible plaid designs. Splendidly tailored and rich looking garments, warm and light. Sizes 36 to 44. Price \$22.50
—Main Floor, H.B.C.

Santa Says—

"If you were unable to get tickets for my reception at the Capitol Theatre, come and see me any afternoon next week in H.B.C. Toytown, Third Floor.



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Private Exchange Connecting All Departments



Gift Choosing Is Easy at the Store of a Million Gifts

Conveniently displayed and arranged for easy selection you will find in every department of this great Christmas store comprehensive assortments of dependable gift merchandise at the most reasonable prices.

Useful Gifts in the Hardware Section

An Imperial Electric Iron for a Christmas Gift

A new shipment of these irons just opened up. Nicely finished with blue handle. Special for the season. Price, complete with cord and plug at \$3.95

Aluminum Hot Water Bottles. These dependable hot water bottles are flat shaped and last for years. Price, each \$3.75

Aluminum Goods for the Kitchen. Aluminum Fry Pans. Special good weight pans for, each \$9.8c

Aluminum 3-Quart Kettles, quick heating and with neat straight panel sides. Price, each \$9.8c

Aluminum Colanders, strongly made, and standing on three feet. Price, each \$9.8c

Steel Wool Balls, suitable for scouring and cleaning enamel and aluminum. Half Price at \$2.5c

—Lower Main Floor, H.B.C.

Radio Bargains

We are offering a limited number of this year's model radio sets at very attractive reductions. Phone for a demonstration and hear one of these radios in your own home.

1 Only, Stewart-Warner 6-Tube 1-Dial Control Radio Set. Complete with batteries, loud speaker, tube and aerial. Regular \$175.00. Special Price, \$129.00

1 Only, King Metrodyne 5-Tube Radio. Complete with batteries, tubes, loudspeaker and aerial. Regular \$170.00. Special Price, \$129.00

1 Only, De Forest Windsor Model 6 Tube Console Radio. Complete with batteries, tubes and aerial. Regular \$260.00. Special Price, \$219.00

1 Only, De Forrest Warwick 6-Tube Radio. Complete with all accessories. Reg. \$215.00. Special Price, \$189.00

1 Only, Marconi 6-Tube Radio. With one dial control, complete and ready to tune. Regular \$180.00. Special Price, \$159.00

Note—These sets may be purchased on our special easy payment plan. Secure yours today.

—Lower Main Floor, H.B.C.

Gift Suggestions in the China Dept.

100-Piece Bavarian China Dinner Set. In two pretty floral decorations, with cream body. A complete tea and dinner service for twelve people. Price, per set, \$27.50

Blue Moorcroft Pottery in Tea and Breakfast Ware. In the beautiful lustrous blue which looks so well against the white linen.

Plates, prices, each, 25c to 85c

Cups and Saucers, each, 50c and 60c

Teapots, each, 75c

Hot Water Jugs, each, 45c, 60c and 75c

—Lower Main Floor, H.B.C.

Gifts of Assured Quality in the Drug Section

French Ivory Hair Brushes (not Japanese). \$4.95

French Ivory Mirrors. \$6.50 and \$7.85

French Ivory Combs. \$5c and \$7c

Dubarry English Compacts, double, for \$2.00

Powder Compacts. A special assortment at \$4.9c

4711 Cologne. 60c, 85c, \$1.00

Yardley's Shaving Bowl. \$1.00

Dubarry Special Shaving Bowl at \$2.00

Shaving Mirrors. 65c and 85c

Shaving Brushes, set in rubber. 95c

Military Brushes in solid leather case \$2.95

Yardley's Lavender Water. 75c and \$1.00

Minty's Lavender Water. Special package \$1.50

Swansdown Powder Puffs, dainty English merchandise. New low prices. 95c, \$1.75, \$2.50, \$3.00 and \$3.25

Giant Wool Powder Puffs. 80c

Hot Water Bottles, 2-year quality, each \$9c

Malt Extract, 2 1/2-lb. size, with a packet of hops. Special Price 69c

Woodbury's Soap and a 5c size Jergen's Lotion 75c value. 49c

—Drugs, Main Floor, H.B.C.

For Groceries and Other Advertising See Previous Page

Pre-Christmas Selling of Coats

For mother, sister or daughter, perhaps one of the most welcome gifts would be a fur-trimmed coat. Why not suggest to them to come in now and select from this splendid assortment of coats while prices are advantageously low. A small deposit will secure any garment for later delivery.

Fur-Trimmed Coats for Small Women and Misses

Smart new coats fashioned from velour cloth with a soft finish. Cut on good lines with cosy mushroom or shawl collars of thibetane and nue beaver. Lined throughout. Price

15.95

Fur-Trimmed Coats in Large Sizes

Fashioned from suede-finished velours in smart styles and colors. They have novelty side trimmings and handsome collars of moufflon, with cuffs to match. Fully lined. Sizes 42 1/2 to 48. Price

22.95

A Very Special Value in Fur-Trimmed Coats

High-grade coats in needlepoint, duvetyn and plush fabrics, fashioned in smart individual styles, trimmed with such rich furs as moleskin, caracul, American opossum. Lined with crepe de Chine and satin, and shown in all the season's latest colors. Sizes 16 to 44. Special for

49.50

Better Grade Fur-Trimmed Coats

Fashioned in high-grade fabrics, including pinpoint, medine, broadcloth and suede-finished velours, in the newest styles and colors. They are richly trimmed with opossum, nue beaver, mandel and moufflon, and are handsomely lined. Sizes 16 to 42. Price

34.95

A New Arrival of Fur-Trimmed Coats

High-grade coats in crushed plush, marvella, needlepoint and duvetyn, fashioned in smart individual styles and handsomely trimmed with rich furs. They are beautifully lined throughout. All sizes and a good selection of colors, also black. Price

39.95

New Winter Coats for Women and Misses

An assortment of attractive styles, featuring pinpoint, broadcloth and velour fabrics. They are tailored on the latest lines with mushroom and shawl collars of rich furs. Choose from the season's preferred shades or black. Sizes 16 to 38. Price

29.50

—Second Floor, H.B.C.

New Coats of Rich Furs

Most Reasonably Priced

What gift could be more ideal or acceptable than a beautiful coat of Hudson Bay fur or of some other rich and beautiful fur which may be the wearer's favorite? Now is the time to choose or to let the fortunate recipient choose the gift. All these coats are most reasonably priced.

Hudson seal Coats. Price \$385.00

Grey lamb, with platinum fox collar. Price \$395.00

Scotch mole, with fox collar. Price \$395.00

Brown broadtail, with beaver trimmings. Price \$407.50

Natural brown pony, with beaver collar and cuffs. Price \$495.00

Natural grey Siberian squirrel. Price \$700.00

Finest quality nutria, self trimmed. Price \$395.00

Scotch mole, with fox collar. Price \$395.00

French seal Coat. Price \$225.00

Beaverine Coats. Price \$92.50

A deposit will secure any fur coat now for later delivery.

—Second Floor, H.B.C.

Dainty Party Frocks for Girls

Sizes 10 to 14 Years

These smart little frocks are made from fine quality shot silk taffeta in sleeveless styles with round necks. Some are trimmed with silver lace; others with silk velvet ribbon bows. "Chic" French flowers give a nice finish. Shown in rose, orchid, blue, Nile, flesh and maize. Price

\$10.50

English Jersey Pantee Dresses

Made in fine all-wool jersey cloth in straight style, with polo collar and long sleeves. The front is neatly smocked and there are two slashed pockets. The bloomers are full cut. Shown in green, sage, mauve and rose. Price

\$5.95

"Lindy" Leatherette Raincoats for Girls

Well tailored coats, flannel lined. Shown in green, red, blue, brown and black. The collar flaps, belt and sleeve straps are trimmed with white facings. A really smart coat! Sizes 10 to 14 years. Price

\$9.50

—Second Floor, H.B.C.



Toy Town

See the Delights of Toytown

There is no delight so genuine or so inspiring as that reflected in the eyes of the children when they see the wonders and delights of Toytown. Bring the kiddies along and you'll find out better what they really want Santa to bring them at Christmas. A small deposit will secure any article for later delivery.

100 Bing Pigmy Trains, complete on circular track. Price, each, \$9c

Another Special, larger size. Price, each, \$9c

Special Train Sets. Prices, \$1.50, \$1.80 and \$2.49

Special Electric Train, complete with transformer. Price, \$9.95

Tinker Toys, complete in tin container. Price, \$9c

Paints in metal box at 10c, 15c, 19c and 25c

Children's Embroidery Sets at 25c and 50c

Building Blocks at 15c, 19c, 25c and 50c

Toy Tea Sets at 35c, 50c, 75c and up to \$1.95

Christmas Tree Decorations, 50c

Miniature Tool Sets, in boxes. Price, per box, 35c

Handy Sets at, from 75c, \$1.50, \$2.50 and \$4.50

Toy Trunks at \$1.75, \$3.50 and \$4.50

Water Pistols (very amusing). Price, each, \$1.50

Pop Guns at 25c, 39c and 50c

Rubber Tired Dix Wheel Scooters. Price, each, \$1.95

Toy Furniture Sets, each set, 50c, 75c and \$1.50

Plasticine, for modelling, at 15c, 25c, 35c and 50c

Toy Carpet Sweepers. Priced at, each, 50c

Magic Lanterns, to attach to the light socket. Price, \$2.50

—Toytown, Third Floor, H.B.C.



Announcing the Opening of a New Section Devoted to the Sale of Books for Children

Conveniently situated on the main floor, near the Fisdard entrance, will be found displayed, for easy selection, thousands of children's books, chosen with discrimination based upon years of experience in buying books to satisfy the tastes and temperaments of child readers.

The Boy's Own Annual

Contains 765 pages, with colored plates and hundreds of illustrations. Stories of school life and adventure and articles to interest the boy of an industrious turn of mind. Strongly and handsomely bound in cloth with board covers. Price \$3.25

Girls' Own Annual

Contains 704 pages, with colored plates and hundreds of illustrations. Complete stories by foremost authors and many articles of great interest and use to girls from 10 to 16 years. Price \$3.25

Chums Volume

Contains 832 pages, 12 colored plates and several hundred other illustrations, also over 100 complete book length stories and scores of illustrated articles on hobbies, sports, travel, discovery, wireless, etc. A magnificent gift for boys. Price \$3.25

Other Annuals at \$1.75

Herbert Strang's Annual for Boys
Mrs. Strang's Annual for Girls
Mrs. Strang's Annual for Children
The Old Favorite "Chatterbox"
Price, each \$1.75

Annuals at \$1.50

Collins' Children's Annual
Collins' Schoolgirls' Annual
Collins' Schoolboys' Annual
Collins' Boy Scout Annual
Collins' Girl Guides' Annual
Collins' Painting Annual
Collins' Adventure Annual
Empire Annual for Boys
Empire Annual for Girls
The Chummy Book
The Jolly Book
Young People's Annual
All priced at \$1.50

Books at 75c

Stirring Stories for Boys
Stirring Stories for Girls
Stories for Boys and Girls
Bumper Books for Boys
Bumper Books for Girls
Bumper Books for Children
Boys' and Girls' Little Dots
Each priced at 75c

A Big Selection of Books for Boys and Girls at 65c

Among these are:
Stories of the Bible
Ivy Hall Series
Every Child's Library
Robinson Crusoe
The Swiss Family Robinson
Pinnocchio
Black Beauty
East of the Sun and West of the Moon
Heide
Treasure Island
Hans Brinker
King Arthur
And many others
Each priced at 65c

Books at 50c

The Girls' Budget
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The Great Big Book for Girls
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Paper Doll Painting Book
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Each priced at 15c

Books at 10c

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The Great Big Book for Boys
The Great Big Book for Children
Paper Doll Painting Book
Each priced at 10c

—Main Floor, H.B.C.

Santa Claus Entertainment

May we remind parents and children that only those holding the 9:30 tickets will be admitted to the first performance and only those with the 11 o'clock tickets will be admitted to the second performance. No children or adults will be admitted without a ticket.

Give Mother a Hug-Me-Tight

Cozy Hug-Me-Tights in pretty crocheted pattern, with elbow length sleeves. Combination colorings in mauve and white, rose and white, black and white, blue and white, and pink and white. Price \$2.25

Hug-Me-Tights in wide crocheted stripe design, with roll collar in shades of grey and white, purple and black, pink and white, mauve and white, and blue and white. Price, each \$2.50

Hug-Me-Tights, in shawl style, with neat roll collar. Shown in shades of mauve and white, grey and white, blue and white, and pink and white. Price, each \$2.95

Hug-Me-Tights in plain knit nightgale style, with tight cuffs. Shown in pink, and mauve and black and blue. Price, each \$2.95

—Second Floor, H.B.C.

Dainty Garter Belts and Bandeaux

Made from green, peach and flesh colored satin. Fancy elastic trimmed lace. Four hose supporters. Priced at \$1.75

Bandeaux in silk stripe or Swami cloth, in shades to match garter belts. Sizes 30 to 36. Prices, \$1.25 and \$1.50

—Second Floor, H.B.C.

Beautiful Dress Fabrics

At Special Prices

Gorgeous Metallic Lame. In silver and gold effects, and also in broche designs. Values to \$9.50. Now priced at, per yard, \$3.95

36-Inch British Spun Silks

Ideal for dresses, lingerie and other purposes. Woven from two-ply yarns with that soft, lustrous finish so much desired. Colors include rose, mellow glow, Copenhagen, Mother Goose, raspberry, geranium, powder blue, cornflower, Parma, grey, rust, pink, Nile, peach, sky, Rose of Sharon, navy, black and ivory. Price, per yard, \$1.95

36-Inch Stanley Silk Crepes

Beautiful soft draping silk crepes for dresses, lingerie, etc. Shown in a large range of colorings, including champagne, peach, rose, Napoli, powder, pirate, Nile, grey, oyster, mauve, Mother Goose, arpent, navy, black and ivory. Today's special price, per yard, 98c

35-Inch Chiffon Dress Velveteens

A beautiful velveteen of a superbly rich texture and deep pile. Woven with a twist back, insuring splendid wear. Shown in all wanted colorings, including cyclamen, powder, jade, plum, coral, geranium, rose, tuchisa, wine, Havana, sand, grey, Copenhagen, English oak, jungle, navy and black. Special price, per yard, \$1.95

Choose Gift Hosiery Now

We have a splendid assortment of Silk Hosiery suitable for gifts as well as for personal use. All the following lines are guaranteed perfect and are shown in all the season's wanted shades.

Full Fashioned Silk Hose

In Corticelli and Orient makes. High silk leg, with wide hem tops, narrow ankles and spliced heels and toes. Shown in gunmetal, blue fox, peach, blonde, nude, parchment, moonlight, mauve, opal, French nude, fraise, neutral, black or white. Sizes 8 1/2 to 10. Price, per pair \$1.95

English Full Fashioned Silk Hose

In novelty diamond openwork effect, with wide hem, little tops, spliced heels and toes and double soles. Colors are sunburn, oyster, French nude and black. Sizes 8 1/2 to 10. Price, per pair \$2.25

Beaver Brand Silk Hosiery

In synthetic silk of fine sheer weight, with open, close and pyramid heel. Full fashioned, silk to the top. Shown in martin, Autumn, pounce, oyster, peach, sunburn, stone, blush, black or white. Sizes 8 1/2 to 10. Price, per pair \$2.25

—Main Floor, H.B.C.

Precision in Vision

Accurate sight is essential to our every action. There the closest sympathy between the eye, the brain, and the nervous system.

In business, professional or social life, perfect poise and self-assurance are requisites to success and advancement.

No one can be efficient with defective eyesight. Therefore, if you feel the slightest intimation of impaired vision, seek our skilled optometrists, who may give you immediate relief.

Please phone for appointment to avoid waiting.

—Mezzanine Floor, H.B.C.

LATEST SPORT THE WORLD OVER

Several Royal City Men Ineligible for Olympics

Committee Rules That Former Pros on Westminster Champion Amateur Lacrosse Team Cannot Compete at Amsterdam Next Year

EDMONTON, Dec. 2.—President P. J. Mulquhenn, of the Canadian Olympic Committee, called the annual meeting of his committee here this afternoon when a great amount of business was handled with little loss of time.

The chief discussions cropped up in connection with lacrosse and basketball representation as demonstration sports at the games in Amsterdam next year. Several members of the New Westminster team, winners of the Canadian amateur championship this season, are reinstated class "A" professionals, and as such cannot take the Olympic oath and, therefore, cannot compete at Amsterdam. If New Westminster could make the trip, it was pointed out, however, that there was no lack of players to fill in the gaps.

Five Roses Flour Make Clean Sweep Against Birdmen

Rolling over 800 in each game, Five Roses Flour made a clean sweep of their series with the eagles in a City League bowling match rolled on the Arcade Alley last night. Wilcox took high individual with 200, and Falk high total with 530 pins.

The scores follow:

Player	Score
C. Holden	182
A. Potts	134
H. Harnes	121
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Susanne Will Not Ask Reinstatement To Amateur Ranks

NICE, France, Dec. 2.—Susanne Lenglen told the Associated Press that she has no intention of applying for reinstatement as an amateur tennis player. She has been a professional since 1926, and said that she could not anticipate any conditions prompting application by her for a return to amateur status.

LORD BURGHLEY TO GET CREDIT

University of Pennsylvania Athletic Authorities Declare John Gibson Ineligible for Honors

PHILADELPHIA, Dec. 2.—University of Pennsylvania athletic authorities today confirmed the report that John Gibson, Fordham University track star, who defeated Lord Burghley in the 400-meter hurdle race at the relay carnival here last April, was ineligible to compete in the meet and that the British nobleman had been recognized as the winner of the event.

A letter was sent to Lord Burghley notifying him that his name would appear on the records as the winner of the hurdle race. It was said that Gibson's ineligibility came up the day of the race and that his Lordship insisted on Gibson running as he did not wish to have a man barred who studied at night and worked in the day.

Gibson was declared to be ineligible to compete in the relays or any meet under the rules of the I.C.A.A.A. because he was a night student and not studying for a degree.

CUP IS DONATED FOR RELAY RACE

Britannia Branch of Canadian Legion Commends Forward With Trophy for School Girls

The donation of a cup by the Britannia Branch of the Canadian Legion for the boys' relay race at the Crystal Garden on December 3. The trophy is open for the first time to the school children's swimming gala to be held at the Crystal Garden on December 3. The trophy is open for the first time to the school children's swimming gala to be held at the Crystal Garden on December 3. The trophy is open for the first time to the school children's swimming gala to be held at the Crystal Garden on December 3.

The girls' relay race will be fifteen and under, and eighteen and under instead of under fourteen and over. The arrangements are being made to place the Britannia Branch Cup, the Ansonby Life-Saving trophy and other prizes on display before the gala.

Miss Gleitz, who has refused a challenge from Miss Hudson to race across the strait, repeatedly declared that Miss Hudson's preferred handicaps, and embraces for news cameras.

"I am going on this swim for my fund for an institute for poor people, and I am not seeking publicity," said Miss Gleitz.

Big Coaches Know How to Show 'em How

By AL DEMAREE
(Former Pitcher, New York Giants)

That football coaches know their stuff, regardless of whether their teams are winning or losing, is proved by the fact that almost without exception they were star players when they were in college.

I know of only one notable exception. Coach Robert C. Zuppke, of Illinois, was considered too small for varsity competition when he attended the University of Wisconsin.

Here is an all-star line-up of coaches, showing in parenthesis the colleges where they played, and where they are coaching now.

E. Stagg (Yale), Chicago.
T. Ingwersen (Illinois), Iowa.
G. Spears (Dartmouth), Minnesota.
Q. Stanley (Washington State), Northwestern.

E. Rokee (Notre Dame), Notre Dame.
Q. Stanley (Washington State), Northwestern.

H. "Bud" Jones (Yale), Yale.
H. Horvath (Harvard), Harvard.
F. Rezek (Chicago), Penn. State.

These coaches can "show 'em how," because even when they were in college they were able to "show 'em how."

Edmonton Grads Hand Minnesota Terrible Hiding

EDMONTON, Dec. 2.—Abraham, solitary before the relentless offensive of the Edmonton Commercial Grads, Minnesota Bankers, of Minneapolis, challenged for the International Women's Basketball Trophy, at present held by the Grads, suffered what was probably the most overwhelming defeat in the history of the competition here tonight, coming out at the small end of a 68-5 count.

It was the first game of a two-match series, the second of which will be staged Saturday night.

Canada's Olympic Net Guardian

DR. JOE SULLIVAN
standby goalkeeper for the Toronto University trade hockey team, is setting in trim for the forthcoming hockey games at Amsterdam, where the Grads will represent Canada. His opponents will have to shoot hard and fast to beat Joe.



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DUNCAN BADMINTON CLUB WINS FROM SOUTH COWICHAN

DUNCAN, Dec. 2.—Duncan Badminton Club defeated South Cowichan last night by a score of eight matches to nothing. The scores are given below.

MIXED DOUBLES
A. Howe and Mrs. Ansell beat Major Ellis and Miss Stewart, 15-11, 15-11.

H. M. Ansell and Mrs. Pritchard beat C. J. Waidy and Miss Birch, 15-12, 17-18, 15-10.

O. T. Smythe and Mrs. Dirom beat F. Morgan and Miss Willis, 15-10, 15-11.

S. J. Westcott and Mrs. Purvey beat I. Averill and Mrs. Ellis, 15-3, 15-5.

LADIES' DOUBLES
Mrs. Purvey and Mrs. Ansell beat Mrs. Stewart and Miss Birch, 15-6, 15-13.

Mrs. Dirom and Mrs. Pritchard beat Mrs. Ellis and Miss Willis, 15-6, 15-2.

MEN'S DOUBLES
A. Howe and H. M. Ansell beat Major Ellis and C. J. Waidy, 15-11, 15-8.

O. T. Smythe and S. J. Westcott beat F. Morgan and I. Verill, 15-5, 15-5.

While Duncan was winning on its own courts, another team from the Duncan club was winning from the "A" team of the Young People's Club on the latter's court, by five matches to three. The scores are given below.

MIXED DOUBLES
Mr. and Mrs. Aiken beat E. Fleet and Miss Owens, 15-11, 15-3, 15-4.

D. Campbell and Mrs. Weir beat D. Campbell and Mrs. Weir, 15-11, 15-11.

V. G. Pritchard and Miss Wynne beat Miss M. Burkholder and Miss B. Burkholder, 9-15, 14-17.

R. Hensel and Mrs. Kelsey beat W. Fleet and Miss E. Hood, 15-18, 15-13.

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Mrs. Aiken and Mrs. Kelsey beat Miss G. Owens and Miss M. Dirom, 15-4, 8-18, 15-11.

Mrs. Westcott and Miss Wynne beat Miss E. Burkholder and Miss E. Hood, 15-15, 15-8, 18-16.

Well, Monsieur, had good sport! I have shot three beautiful misses! (He meant that he had missed three beautiful shots.)

TOD MORGAN LOSES DECISION IN FAST TEN-ROUND BATTLE

BOSTON, Dec. 2.—Dick (Money) Finnegan, Dorchester lightweight, won the decision over Tod Morgan of Seattle, world junior champion, in a fast, ten-round bout here tonight. The fight was not at stake as both men weighed in at 131½ pounds.

Rain Halls Cricket
MARITZBURG, South Africa, Dec. 2.—Overnight rain prevented resumption of the cricket match between the Maritzburg team and Natal here, and the game was left drawn. Scores were: M.C.C. 333, Natal 171.

Today's Sport Programme

ENGLISH RUGBY
Thompson Cup
Victoria High School vs. Magee High School, of Vancouver, at the Willows Oval.
Kick-off at 2 p.m.

INTERMEDIATE LEAGUE
Brentwood College vs. University School, at the Willows Oval, for championship of first half of schedule.
Kick-off at 3 p.m.

SENIOR
J.B.A.A. vs. United Services, at Victoria High School ground.
Pirates vs. 16th Canadian Scottish, at Work Point Barracks.
Kick-offs at 3 p.m.

ARMISTICE CALLED IN REFEREE WAR

Arbiters to Officiate at Games Today—Mainland Players Suspended for Fighting on Field

VANCOUVER, B.C., Dec. 2.—As a result of a strong appeal by C. Jones, president of the L.M.F.A., referees Thursday night decided to officiate at all soccer games Saturday. At the request of the executive of the Lower Mainland Association, a strong delegation of referees attended the meeting when the deadlock, which has arisen between the B.C.F.A. and the arbiters, was given an airing.

The referees decided to go on the field next Saturday on the understanding that they would be allowed to attend the meeting with the B.C.F.A. on that day, but intimated that unless a satisfactory settlement was made, the members of the Referees' Association would again withdraw from participation from all games.

It was the general impression of the meeting that the deadlock will be removed Saturday.

PLAYERS SUSPENDED
The Lower Mainland Football Association last night suspended several players for fighting on the field, as a result of which Restmore Manufacturing Company and the B.C. Electric will be weakened for the next two weeks.

W. S. Tiedale, of the Restmores, and B. Jacques and J. C. Hall, of the B.C.E.R., were suspended until December 15 for fighting in their game, played November 19, while R. Walker, Restmores, was given six weeks' suspension for using bad language, laying hands on Referee Wainwright and refusing to leave the field when ordered off.

The first of a series of amateur boxing bouts was presented at the Victoria College on Thursday. About 250 witnessed the bouts. In the headline Red Howard won the decision over Andy Wilson.

The winner outboxed his heavier opponent from the start.

Charlie Storch, of Victoria, scored a technical K.O. over Tim Gurney in the second round. Storch outboxed and outlasted Gurney, driving him against the ropes with terrific punches, lefts and rights.

Gurney, however, showed plenty of fight.

D. Gibson registered a technical knockout over J. Brinkman in the second round of a scheduled three-round bout. In the first round the boys exchanged blow for blow, but in the second Brinkman tired, and after taking plenty of punishment without being able to retaliate, the referee halted the bout.

Lawrie Mouton won the judges' decision over T. Borradaile in a good fight and landed a number of clean punches.

Frank Gillette and Richard Hudson stepped three fast rounds in an exhibition bout.

Following the completion of the programme cups were presented to the winners by Bert Bailey, the referee. Tim Gurney won the prize for the fastest round. Officials were as follows: Announcer, Jack Nichols; judges, McFee and Stacy; timekeeper, J. Warner.

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Football Line-Ups
James Bay Juveniles—Hood, Davy, Marston, Fraser, Cox, Brown, Woodley, Terry, Gibson, Gelling, Smith and Preston.

Esquimalt Juveniles (Div. 1)—De Costa, Wadsworth, Anderson, Collings, Wallace, McLean, Hicks, Wright, Dewar, Short and Evans.

Victoria West—Pasmore, Dunn, Linn, Brown, Godwin, Robinson and Mulcahy.

Esquimalt Juniors—Bayliss, Sweeney, Williams, Smith, Banks, Vickers, Woodcock, Hicks, Stewart, Rendall and Thompson. Reserves, Smith and McVane.

Kennel Club Directors To Speak Here Today
Messrs. Swindon and Kelso, directors of the Canadian Kennel Club, will speak in the Westholme Hotel Building this afternoon at 3 o'clock on the objects and work of the club. The meeting will be open to all dog fanciers.

President of U.S. Golf Association Dies at Memphis
MEMPHIS, Tenn., Dec. 2.—Charles O. Pfeil, recently nominated for president of the United States Golf Association, died at the Baptist Memorial Hospital here tonight after several weeks' illness from septicaemia. He was fifty-six years old.

BASKETBALL
Four games at the Y.M.C.A. gymnasium commencing at 7:30 p.m.: Men's "C"—Navy vs. Gyros. Ladies' "A"—Adanacs vs. Normal School.

Ladies' "A"—B.C. Telephone vs. Victoria College.
Men's "A"—C.P.S. vs. Onweges.

FOOTBALL
Esquimalt vs. Tillicums, Victoria West.
Kick-offs at 2:30 p.m.

Five C's vs. Esquimalt, Beacon Hill.
Kick-offs at 2:30 p.m.

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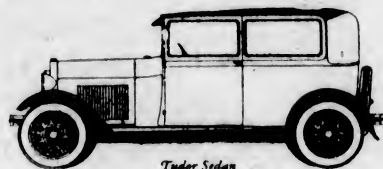
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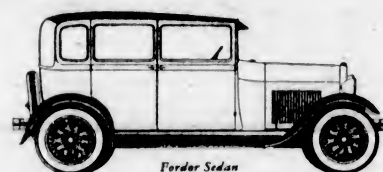
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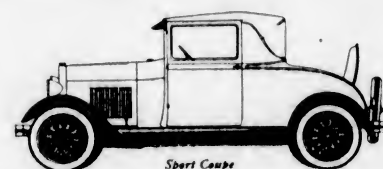
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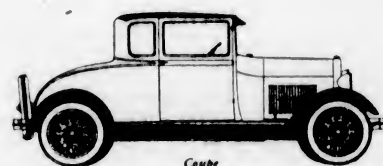
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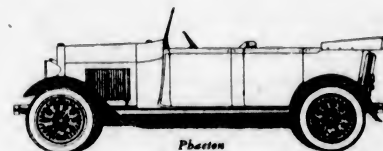
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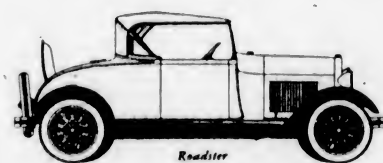
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Finance and Commerce

C.P.R. STOCK SOARS TO 219

High Price of Sterling Exchange Revives Expectations of Gold Shipments to Great Britain

LARGE VOLUME OF SALES MADE IN DAY

NEW YORK, Dec. 2.—Prenzled bidding for stocks in today's market lifted nearly two score issues to record highs, carried total sales above the 3,000,000 mark for the third time this year and the sixth time in the history of the exchange. Some of the gains ran from five to nearly sixteen points, but final quotations also disclosed a number of declines ranging from one to nearly seven points, due to heavy week-end profit-taking and bear selling.

Rails showed signs of superseding the industrials as leaders of the advance. C.P.R. was heavily bought on unfavourable reports of early segregation of its railroad and other properties, soaring fifteen and one-half points to a new peak at 219. U.S. Steel common and General Motors, recognized market leaders in most of the previous upswing, moved within a relatively narrow range. Greenback Canadian Copper, which has sold below \$30 a share this year, scored a sensational gain of twelve points by touching a new peak at 110. Other 1927 highs were recorded: City National, Biscuit, Victor Talking Machine, Freeport Texas, Continental Insurance, Reid Ice Cream, Warner-Quinn, and many others.

There was no change in the money and commercial paper rates. In the foreign exchange market, sterling cables sold at 48.8, reviving expectations of early gold shipments to England, Belgian francs, Swedish and Danish kroner, and the Indian rupee also reached new high ground.

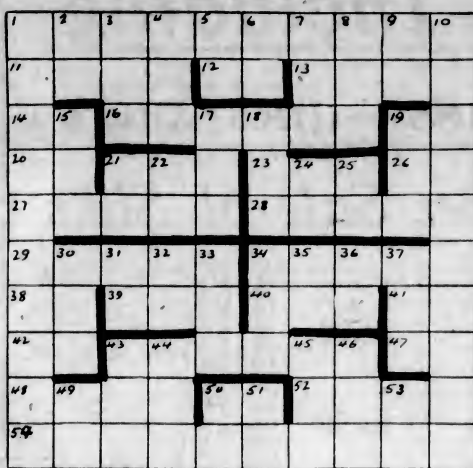
Leading commodity markets also displayed a firm undertone.

Demand for bonds continued high in today's market, and prices on the whole were firm. Some evidences of realizing, which appeared in the early transactions, were overshadowed later when large amounts of reinvestment money came into the market.

(All Fractions in Eighteenths)

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The Daily Cross-Word Puzzle.



ACROSS

1. Uncivilized persons.
11. Flat surface.
12. Mother.
13. Bird's abode.
14. A State (abbr.).
16. Mountain numpsh.
19. Form of address (abbr.).
20. Egyptian genius of the body.
21. Falsehood.
23. Resting place.
26. Lava of Hawaii.
27. Presents of India.
28. Means of defence.
29. Say.
34. Revoke.
38. Italian river.
39. Poem.
40. Time past.
41. New England State (abbr.).
42. Toward.
43. Daughter of Uranus.
47. Preposition.
48. Burn.
50. Hawaiian bird.
52. Gaelic.
54. City in Ohio.

DOWN

1. Failure.
2. Metric unit.
3. Color.
4. Obstruction.
5. East.
6. Sun god.
7. India.
8. Bronze of ancient Rome.
9. Nova Scotia (abbr.).
10. Put in line.
15. Period of time.
17. Affirmative.

DOWN

18. Arabian garment.
19. Fairy queen.
21. Behold.
22. Pronoun.
24. Wing of a house.
25. Prefix; two.
30. Also.
31. Toward.
32. Nickname.
33. Boak.
34. Cheer.
35. For example (abbr.).
36. Negative.
37. Girl's name.
43. Greek letter.
44. Sea eagle.
45. Already.
46. Standing room only (abbr.).
49. Exclamation.
50. King of Bashan.
51. A bone.
53. Compass point.

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Health and Diet Advice

By DR. FRANK McCOY

Dr. McCoy's menus suggested for the week beginning Sunday, November 27.

Sunday—Breakfast: "Baked stuffed apple, with cream or milk. Lunch: Vegetable soup made of tomato, spinach and celery, cream added just before serving; Avocado salad. Dinner: Roast chicken, string beans, oyster plant, salad of tender raw spinach leaves, ice cream.

Monday—Breakfast: Coddled egg, Melba toast, stewed prunes. Lunch: Eight-ounce glass of grape juice. Dinner: Celery soup, stuffed and rolled round steak, McCoy salad, baked pears.

Tuesday—Breakfast: Whole wheat muffins and peanut butter, stewed raisins. Lunch: Baked Hubbard squash in the shell, cooked spinach, raw celery. Dinner: Roast pork, buttered vegetables (carrots, beets and turnips), salad of chopped cabbage, apple sauce.

Wednesday—Breakfast: Poached egg on Melba toast, stewed figs. Lunch: Pint of buttermilk and ten or twelve dates. Dinner: Vegetable soup, Salisbury steak, string beans, oyster plant, salad of sliced tomatoes, with celery, minced prunes in gelatine.

Thursday—Breakfast: Cottage cheese, Melba toast, sliced pineapple (canned). Lunch: Steamed carrots and peas, stuffed celery. Dinner: Jellyed tomato consomme, broiled mutton chops, baked small parsnips, tomato - spinach - asparagus salad, baked pears.

LUMBERMAN'S RHEUMATISM

Conquered by T-R-C's

Who would be more subject to Rheumatism than lumbermen who work in the dampness and raw chill of the backwoods? Charlie Henderson, Parry Sound District, had both Rheumatism and Neuritis. He was wild with pain until he heard of Templeton's Rheumatic Capsules.

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POLLY AND HER PALS

Paw's Coin Crazy Now

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Torture That Didn't Work

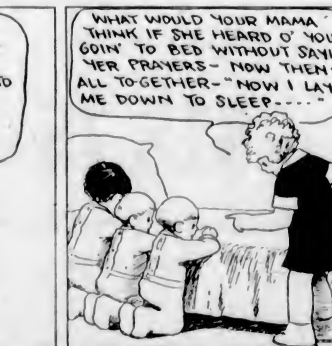
By C. M. Payne



LITTLE ORPHAN ANNIE

In the Way They Should Go

By Harold Gray



penditure in all countries at that time, by tourists from the United States, at a figure very little larger than that now representing only the disbursements of such tourists within the borders of Canada.

While figures for 1927 will not yet be available for some time yet, if the 1926 estimate be taken as approximately correct, it is only reasonable to suppose that total expenditures in Canada, by tourists coming from abroad during the current season, were in excess of \$200,000,000. Their entertainment has now become a major industry.

No less striking than the proportions of the tourist trade at present is its estimated rapid increase in recent years. The figures of the Dominion Bureau of Statistics show a five-fold increase since 1920 in expenditures by touring motorists from the United States, and an increase of 125 per cent in total tour-

ist expenditure during the same period; this, be it noted, although tourist arrivals at ocean ports spent less than half as much in 1926 as they did six years before. There is, indeed, ground for supposing that the rate of growth has not in fact been quite as rapid as it is here represented; more particularly, that tourist arrivals by rail and steamer in 1926 spent rather more than is credited to them in this bulletin. The rather rigid formula by which expenditures of tourist arrivals from the United States by rail and steamer have been calculated, on the basis of automobile traffic in each season, yields a figure of only \$32,000,000 under this heading in 1926, whereas the 1926 estimate is nearly \$46,000,000 larger.

The fact that the number of railway passengers traveling in the United States, and the number of railway passengers traveling in Can-

ada have both of them diminished since the war (in the former case by more than twenty per cent, in the latter case by about ten per cent) and that this diminution is attributed largely to the growing use of motor cars, makes it at least probable that the number of tourists crossing the border by rail has increased remarkably. If, instead of being derived from a competing means of travel, the tourist influx by rail were treated as a constant, the growth of the visiting tourist trade as a whole during the last six years would be more nearly thirty-five per cent than 125 per cent. Doubtless, however, this difficult question will be more fully ventilated when an estimate of all invisible items in the trade balance of Canada makes its appearance.

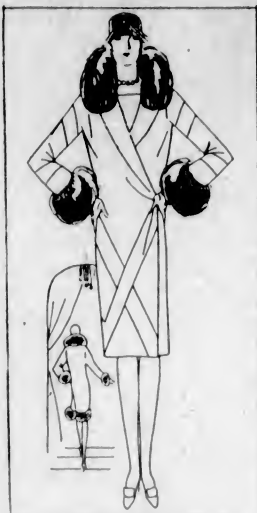
In any case the value to this country of the tourist influx is not to be gauged by the counting of pennies; nor is it confined to the money which it puts in circulation. From three distinct standpoints it is an immense asset to Canada, quite apart from this consideration. In the first place, knowledge of this country gained thus at first hand must inevitably stimulate the demand for its products in the countries from which visitors are attracted. In the second place, by creating a more vivid realization of the great and varied resources of Canada, it cannot but increase considerably the supplies of new capital looking for investment here lastly, but by no means least in importance, the mutual understanding which springs from intercourse of this kind is an invaluable source of international goodwill. In a world disorganized and narrowed by persecuting jealousies, this is no small consideration. Monthly Review, Bank of Nova Scotia.

COUGHS AND COLDS DREADED BY MOTHERS

What a weight of responsibility rests on the mother of the family during the cold weather season. In every cough and cold she seems to hear the warning of serious developments. She dreads croup, that only a reminder is necessary to most people to recall its effectiveness in relieving croup, bronchitis, the natural results of neglected colds, asthma and all forms of throat. But Dr. Chase has provided a prompt relief for coughs and colds and a preventive of more serious ailments of throat and lungs. In his Syrup of Linseed and Turpentine. This medicine is so well-known that only a reminder is necessary to most people to recall its effectiveness in relieving croup, bronchitis, the natural results of neglected colds, asthma and all forms of throat. But Dr. Chase has provided a

DR. CHASE'S
Syrup of Linseed and Turpentine

December Bargains for Today---Including Men's Overcoats---Women's Coats and Dresses---and Silks



On Sale Today Women's and Misses' COATS With Fur Trimming

Tweed, Broadcloth and Velour Coats, wrap-around styles, patch pockets, turn-back cuffs and fur collar. On sale for.....

\$14.90

Coats of Velour or Check Tweeds, novelty styles with semi-raglan or set-in sleeves; some with shawl collars and cuffs of fur. Some with thibetane collar in mushroom style. Each.....

\$19.75

Fine Coats of Velour or Marvella, in wrap-around style, trimmed with pin tucks and pleats at side. Large moufflon collars and cuffs. The season's best value, each.....

\$27.90

—Mantles, 1st Floor



Gift Slippers for Everyone From 95c Up

Women's Hiawatha Moccasin Slippers, beautifully beaded and bound with fur, in many colors.....

\$1.95

Imported Wool Slippers, plaid designs or plain; camel, rose and blue shades.....

\$1.45

Felt Juliet and Collar Slippers, with turn leather sole; several shades and black, at.....

\$1.95

Men's Alligator Leather Slippers in tan or black, with flexible leather sole.....

\$1.95

Men's Morocco Leather Slippers, turn leather soles; red, tan or black.....

\$1.95

Imported Wool Slippers, plain designs and plain camel; high or low cut, \$1.45, \$1.95 and.....

\$2.50

Men's Romeo or Everett Kid Slippers; tan or black; \$2.50, \$2.95, \$3.50, and.....

\$3.75

Children's Wool and Felt Slippers, a great variety of styles and colors, at.....

95c

—Shoe Section, 1st and Main Floors

A December Sale of Silks

40-Inch Silk Georgette

Good Quality Georgette, well made, for dresses, etc. Shown in reseda, canary, orange, peach, mauve, rose and mahogany. On sale, a yard.....

\$1.00

36-Inch Black Duchesse Satin

A good heavy satin with rich sheen and soft finish, for dresses, cushions, etc. Black only. On sale, a yard.....

\$1.00

29-Inch Spun Silk

All silk spun, dependable quality; many shades to select from, including black. On sale, a yard.....

59c

36-Inch Metal Tricotee

A splendid material for tops of dresses, etc., in pretty shot effects. On sale, a yard.....

98c

36-Inch Duchesse Satins

In pretty two-tone effects, rich sheen and soft finish. Regular \$1.98 a yard. On sale for.....

98c

40-Inch Crepe de Chine

All-Silk Crepe de Chine, in medium weight for dresses and lingerie. Shown in black, white, gold, mauve, powder, chartreuse, copper, blue and grey. Regular \$1.98 a yard. On sale for.....

98c

27-Inch Fancy Corduroy

Figured Corduroy, suitable for dressing gowns; warm weight and smart designs in grey, wine and fawn grounds. Regular \$1.95 a yard. On sale for.....

98c

36-Inch Black Broche

Heavy Quality Satin Broche in various patterns; makes a handsome dress. On sale, a yard.....

\$1.98



The Season's Smartest Millinery

Offered Today for

\$4.95 and \$8.95

The very latest in Black Satin Hats, hand painted in attractive conventional designs; beautifully soft and light to wear; good quality satin; large and small fittings. Each at.....

\$8.95

TRIMMED HATS

Regular \$8.95 Values for \$4.95

These comprise smart little Black Satin and Tinsel Hats; Black and Colored Velvet Hats with all-over gold or silver stitching; Black or Colored Velvet and Silk or Satin or Satin Hats for matrons, with relief of flat applique of flowers or gold, etc. An inspection of these will assure you of the wonderful values offered here at.....

\$4.95

—Millinery, 1st Floor

Sale of Hand-Worked Models

In Our Art Needlework Section Today

All greatly reduced. Several ideal Christmas gifts in the assortment.

Laundry Bags
Bureau Scarfs
Crib Sets
Teacloths
Boudoir Pillows
Centres

Buffet Sets
Darning Bags
Babies' Feeders
Aprons
Bedroom Sets
Cushions

On Sale at Reduced Prices Today

Asbestos Dinner Mats and Cover, stamped on pure linen and hemstitched for crocheting. Practical sizes. Each, \$1.00 to \$1.50

—1st Floor

"JERGEN'S" LOTION

A Free Offer

Jergen's Cream Lotion for roughness and redness of the skin is a well-known and valued preparation selling at 50c a bottle. We have been authorized to present FREE, to each purchaser of a bottle of lotion, One Cake of Jergen's Violet Transparent Soap, value 35c—thus giving 85c value for 50c

—Toiletries, Main and 1st Floors



CHRISTMAS HANDKERCHIEFS

A Profusion of Dainty Gift Handkerchiefs of Lawn, Linen and Silk, Now on Display

Dainty Colored Lawn Handkerchiefs, 2 in a box for 29c

Fine Lawn Handkerchiefs, Irish and Swiss. Each, 25c

Novelty Handkerchiefs, large assortment, crepe de Chine, linen and fine opal lawn; 3 for \$1.00

Hand-Embroidered Pure Linen Handkerchiefs, beautiful quality. Each, 50c to 75c

Real Lace Handkerchiefs, linen centre, beautiful quality. Each, at.....

Sport Handkerchiefs of art silk and cotton, in smart plaids and colors. 3 for 50c

Novelty Handkerchiefs of crepe de Chine, voile, pure linen or fine lawn. Each, 25c

Pure Linen Handkerchiefs, white or colored. Each, 25c

KAYSER ALL-SILK CHIFFON HOSE

With the New "Lance Heel"

Beautifully Sheer Chiffon Hose, all silk to the top, with the new Kaiser Lance Heel, giving the ankle a smart, slender appearance. Shown in nine of the leading Fall and Winter shades. At.....

\$3.50

—Hosiery, Main Floor

Girls' Fur-Trimmed Coats

For 8 to 14 Years

Today.....

\$12.95

Warm Winter Coats of velour cloth, in wood rose, blue, green and fawn; fully lined and trimmed with fur collars and cuffs. Specially priced at.....

\$12.95

Children's Coats, assorted styles and colors; fur trimmed. Suitable for ages 3 to 6 years. At.....

\$4.95 to \$7.95

—Children's Wear, 1st Floor



Dresses

For Afternoon and Party Wear
On Sale Today, Each

\$6.90

Afternoon Dresses in the new two-piece and straightline styles, featuring trimming flares, shirring, pleats and tucks in contrast shades; V, round or square necks; long sleeves with neat cuffs and ties.....

\$6.90

Party Dresses in many dainty styles, sleeveless or with short or long sleeves that may be attached if desired. Shades are reseda, emerald, peacock blue, sand, peach, red, plum, orchid, grey, pink, rosewood, black and navy. Each.....

\$6.90

Every Dress a Great Bargain

—Mantle Dept., 1st Floor

On Sale Today

Men's and Young Men's

Overcoats

Values to \$35.00 for

For **\$18.75** Each

Not One Coat Worth Less
Than \$25.00

Overcoats for men or business men, made of pure wool tweeds and coatings; double and single breasted, half belters and loose-fitting models. A great variety of shades and patterns to select from, including browns, blues, lavats, greys, checks and fancy weaves. Coats plush, silk and wool lined, and perfectly tailored. The newest models of the season, and the season's most wonderful values at.....

\$18.75

—Men's Clothing, Main Floor



Great Footwear Attractions

On the Bargain Highway Today

An entirely new range of Women's Oxfords in black calf, patent leather and tan calf, and the newest light shades in two-tone effects. Very smart shoes in a full range of styles; low or medium heels. At.....

\$3.95

Women's and Children's Black Rubber Boots, knee height. All sizes. Special.....

\$1.95

Women's Patent Leather Dress Shoes in ties and straps, plain or trimmed effects.....

\$3.95

Children's Patent Strap Slippers.....

\$1.95

Men's Leather Slippers, tan or black.....

\$1.95

Men's Felt Slippers with leather soles.....

95c

Men's Goodyear Welt Boots and Oxfords in tan and black; all shapes.....

\$3.95

Men's Work Boots with Panco or leather soles.....

\$3.95

Boys' Solid Leather School Boots.....

\$2.95

Men's and Boys' First Quality Rubber Knee Boots; Men's.....

\$3.95

Boys'.....

\$3.45

Men's Lumberman Lace Rubber Boots.....

\$2.95

—Lower Main Floor

December Sale of Men's Shirts

Real Bargains, Each

\$1.75

Men's Windsor Broadcloth Shirts of fine grade cloth; blue, mauve, cream and white; with separate collars to match and double cuffs. On sale, each.....

\$1.75

Men's Shirts of extra strong rep, patterned with neat stripes on a white ground, and with separate collar to match. All sizes. Each.....

\$1.75

Men's Woven Percale Shirts, patterned with neat stripes on a white ground. Color goes through the cloth. A great value, each.....

\$1.75

—Men's Furnishings, Main Floor

Men's Christmas Handkerchiefs

In Great Assortment

Men's Silk Finish Rayon Handkerchiefs, with fancy stripes on colored grounds; 3 in a box, for.....

\$1.00

Men's White Jap Silk Handkerchiefs with initial. Each.....

\$1.00

Plain White Jap Silk Handkerchiefs.....

50c to \$1.00

Natural Pongee Silk Handkerchiefs, plain; for.....

35c and 50c

Natural Pongee Handkerchiefs, with initial. Each.....

75c

Men's Fancy Colored Handkerchiefs, silk and cotton mixture; 3 in a box for.....

\$1.00

Men's Fine Irish Lawn Handkerchiefs, with colored binding; 3 in a box.....

75c

Men's Irish Lawn Initial Handkerchiefs. Each.....

50c

—Men's Furnishings, Main Floor

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IMPORTED LAMP AND CANDLE SHADES

In the Studio of Interior Decoration

We have a new assortment of Imported Lamp and Candle Shades that will make most desirable Christmas gifts. Regular values to \$3.00. On sale, each.....

50c

—Studio of Interior Decoration, 2nd Floor